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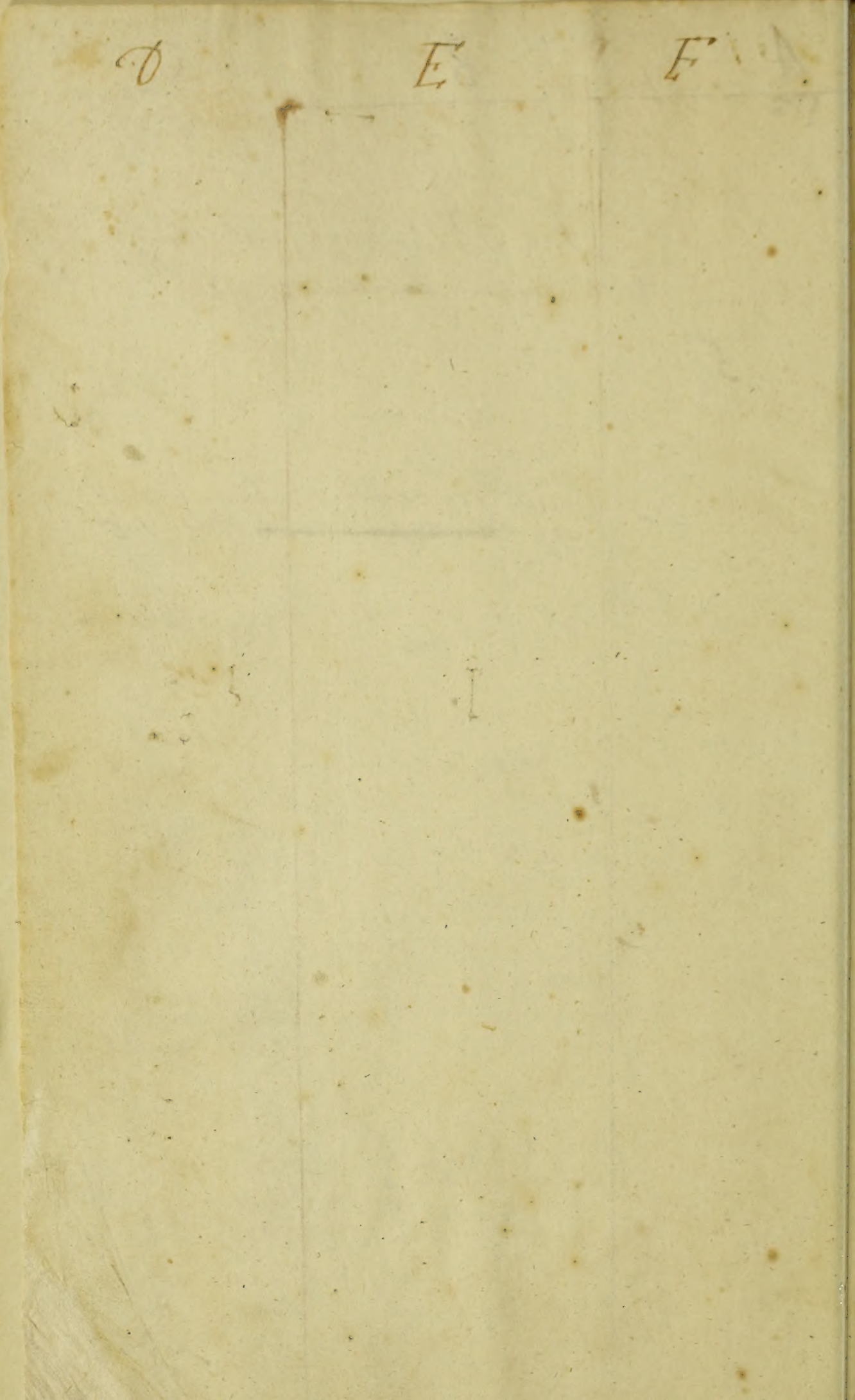
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There hath Bin Raised and priced this year 1710
of Pure Raat Exceeding to one hundred and three pounds
and four pence as hath Bin Disposed of £ s d
To m.r Stoddard for his Quarters Salary 0 0 0
from January the 25th 1709 to April 18 10 0
25th 1710
To m.r Sloctar for his Quarters Salary 0 0 0
from April the 25th 1710 to July the 25th 1710 18 10 0
To Edward Hook for his Quarters Salary 5 0 0
To the Select men for making the province
Rate — 1 0 0
To Nathll Bowin for Journey to Salem
and Entring a petition to the generall 0 0
Court for an Explement of our province Rate 0 0
To Do for Journey to Entering of the 0 11 0
Presentment for want of a grammer Scoole
To Stephen Sewall for Service at the 0 0
Generall Court 4 0 0
To John Bate for mending the 0 0
great Scull with Iron Hoops and Staves 0 5 6
To the County Rate 2
To m.r Stoddard for his Quarters Salary from 0 0 0
October the 25th 1710 to January the 25th 1711 18 10 0
To Jonathan Bowin for Repairing the great Bridg 1 6
To Sergeant Sam.ll Tozer for Cleansing in the meting hous 1 18 0
To Constable Sibley for Ringing the prescript 0 5 0
To Mr Bowen for Serving as Town Clerk 0 10 0
the Remainder for the Select men Service and 0 0 0
to Cover the Expence at their three Generall meting 0 0 0
To m.r Stephen Sewall for Service at Generall Court 3 6 6
To Constable Sibley for Ringing the Lecture 0 7 11
To the Province Rate which he Could not Bey 0 0 0
To the County Rate 1 12 6

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1711 ...

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Whare hath been Paid & Towne Rate this present year 1711 Comunitary & ordinary
and fifty pounds and Thirteen Shillings and
made this Reckoning of

	£	s	d
To m^r Hoyard for his Quarters salary from Xmas to January the 25. 1710	0	0	0
To m^r Hoyard for his Quarters salary from April the 25. 1711	18	10	0
To m^r Hoyard for his Quarters salary from April the 25^th: 1711 to July the 25^th 1711	0	0	0
To William Fletcher for Repairing the Bridg betwen Chelmsford and Billarica	0	0	0
To the select men for marking the prouing Peace	0	18	0
To Ortmbrof Swalow for making 20 — by	0	0	0
To the select men for tendring the Generall Court to make answare to the petitioner about the fishing the meting House and two journeys about the Scoole	2	5	0
To Ephriam Curtis and Jn^o Robins for Runing the Line Betwen Concord and Chelmsford	0		
To Moses and Isaac Burron Runing the Line Betwen Chelmsford and Billirica			
To m^r Hoyard for his Quarters Salary from July the 25^th: 1711 to October the 25^th 1711	0	4	6
To m^r Hoyard for his Quarters Salary from October the 25^th: 1711 to January the 25^th: 1712	18	10	0
To Samuel Foster for Carying the meeting Book	0	0	6
To Moses Burron for Runing the Line Betwen Chelmsford and Billirica	1	10	0
To Isaac Burron for Runing the Line Betwen Chelmsford and Billirica	0	0	0
To the Constables for Incouragment to their meeting house Roofe	2	0	0
To m^r Chever for being our Schoolmaster	0	12	0
	5^li	0	0

[illegible] Laate Comited to [illegible]
[illegible] Coney to Collect Amount [illegible] 03 11 [illegible]
[illegible] Laate Comited
[illegible] Coney a Pounde
Rate to Collect [illegible]

Chelmsford ye 13th of Aprill Anno 1711

A Towne Laate Comited to Constables
now Amounting to Fifty seven pounds
and Eilling at the same time a Towne Laate
Comited to Constabell William Longe Amounting
to fourty Eight pounds and Eight shilling

Chelmsford June ye 6th 1711 A Laate Comited
to Constabell [illegible] towards praying for the
Reliefe of [illegible] Amounting to Seventy Eight
pounds and ten shillings and at the same
time one the same a Rate Granted by Law to
Constabell William Longe by a Laate Amount
ing to Fifty four pounds

Chelmsford September the [illegible]th
Comited to Constabell William Longe a Laate
Laate amounting to Eighty Nine pounds and
fifteen shillings and the Constables in Town
a Laate amounting to seventy eight
Eighteen shillings

Chelmsford may the 3d 1712 a Towne Rate for the building the
meeting house Committed to Constabell John Richardson a
mounting to Fifty one pounds and Eight shillings and at
the Same time a Rate Comited to Constabell [illegible]
amounting to Eighty three pounds and forteen shillings for the
finishing the meeting house

Chelmsford may the 3d 1712 a Towne Rate Comited to Constabell
John Richardson amounting to Six pounds fifteen shillings
and Eight pence at the same time a Towne Laate Comited
to Constabell Isaac Barron amounting to fifty six pounds ten
shillings nine four pence

William Fletcher Junr Negroe Peter to the house of
Billy one of Constabell Whittam died one day
Taketh [illegible]

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Christm[as] Quarter the 4 1715

Towne Rate Granted to Constable Brown
Amounting to — 87 11 0

Ditto Towne Rate Granted to Constable Isaac Barron
Amounting to — — — — 77-9 0

Towne Rate Granted to Constable 0 0 0
Willam Fletcher Amounting to 52 10 11
Ditto Towne Rate Granted to Constable Harwood 0 0 0
Towne Rate Granted Amounting to 48 0 4

Towne Rate Granted to Constable Stephen Ro[se] Amounting to 64 0 0
Towne Rate Granted to Constable Jeremiah 57 0 0

At a Generall Towne meeting March the 3 1713
in Towne made Choyce of Select men for the yeare ensuing
Obj Solomon
Moses Barron Esqr moderator for the day ordered
noted that the Towne Did Stand a gate With Capt Aaron
Atherton Towne Wright Which he hath Set Up the town
voted to have but three Select men this present
yeare

for Select men
for Towne Clerk
for Constables
for Grand Jury men
for highway men
for fence viewers
for field Drivers

Moses Barron
Lieut Richard
Moses Barron

Mallt Harwood
Henry Cook William Fletcher

Jonathan Brown
Edward Foster junor
Richard Colbreth
Stephen Keyes
John Parker

Benjamin
Lieut Jonathan Richardson
John Batt. Jones
Sergt John Robins
Thomas Parker
Sergt Samuel Brown
William Palmer Jones
John Powell
Sergt
Thomas Young
Ebenezer
Nathll Patterson
James Spaulding

[illegible] the Court men shall assess the Towne
[illegible] the Law of Seuere Duly and
[illegible] that Jowrmen shall be Chosen to answere
[illegible] Capt adams Summons to the Towne a Course
[illegible] Right

[illegible] Chosen to answere to Capt adams at Cambridge Court
[illegible] William Fletcher Chosen to answere to Capt adams
[illegible] that a Jeport Shall be Chosen to bring in
[illegible] the Lists of Rates
[illegible] to Change the assessors by Ommission
[illegible] John Know and John Richardson were
[illegible] Chosen assessors for the Ensuing Year

At a Generall Towne meeting may the 13: 1713
[illegible] Stephen Peirce was Chosen Representitive

At a Generall Towne meeting June the 22: 1713
[illegible] to Prosecute our Appeall with Capt adams
[illegible] the Superior Court Ensuing
[illegible] Chose Three men to answere Capt adams at
[illegible] Superior Court on our appeall
[illegible] that Mr Benjamin Wadsworth Esqr and
[illegible] Richard shall be the agents for the Towne
[illegible] Capt adams Cause at Court as to our appeall

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Jane Tom

Year: 1713

[illegible] Constable for ensuing year Rate 0 8 5

To Daniell Wyatt 1 0 0

To James Wood 0 11 5½

To Peter Wyatt 1 10 9

[illegible] 0 10 0

To Isaac Barron 0 7 0

4 7 2½

Dec: 5th: of the: 12: month: 1683

[illegible]

February 1683

[illegible]

[illegible] 17: 1721

1681 [illegible] into John Spaulding and Arthur [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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At a Generall Town Meeting August the
9th 1710
voted to petition ye Generall Court for an Enlargement
to ye former people
voted that the ye proceeds of money belonging to the
Town for the Common meadow which was sold to Capt
Prescott shall be improved by the Select men for the
Towns use by Leting out to use
voted that Jonathan Tomings shall have the
meadow Lieing in Chelmsford Common By the
name of Brake meadow for ten years Excepting
& Reserved to the Town of the mineshay
& Tomings is to pay to the use of the Town
meadow 6li to the Treasury of Chelmsford for the
a year and so yearly
The Meeting Adjourned till thursday the 19th of
September at nine of the Clock in the morning
At a Generall Town meeting by Adjournment
from August the 9th to September the 19th Voted
& Pass'd & voted by the Inhabitants of Chelmsford
assembled Granted to those petitioners that
petitioned for the Removal of the meeting house or that
they may be Admitt to bring to their petition
voted to Accept a County of five men to Lay out
Proposall how the meeting house voted to be
built in town shall be finished and
Agreed to the Same Lott Fleming Jerh Jonathan
Richardson Esqr Barron Thomas Hildreth
Edward Spalding & Jonathan Prescott
Town Meeting adjourned to the Court House this day
three weeks at twelve of the clock in the day at
Chelmsford at October meeting
At a Generall Town meeting by Adjournment the tenth of October
1710 voted a Concurring to the County's proposall in all
things all to finishing & putting hand which we have
agreed to but one Excepted except the steeple
voted to Chuse a County
& the meeting house
voted that the County shall consist of five
Jonathan Richardson Esqr Barron Lott Fleming Capt William
Fletcher Esqr Barron and Mr Josiah Spaulding
are Chose a County for the viewing over the Entring
and finishing the meeting house
This meeting Adjourned till the 24th of this Instant
October at ten a Clock in the forenoon to Con
sider further Concerning our meeting house

[illegible] the 19 day of [illegible] a towne ... the meeting shall be [illegible]
[illegible] Day ... [illegible] the meeting
[illegible] being the 17 day of November

And at a generall towne meeting Novem-
ber 14th 1710 forthwith
voted the proposall of building a meeting house
voted that the towne will give three hundred and
[illegible] of money and the [illegible]
to the meeting of a new meeting house
to be built [illegible] and
a [illegible] to the proposalls offered to the
offered by the [illegible] and [illegible]
3ly voted that at the towne meet[illegible] at the meet[illegi]
house to [illegible] of any Jonathan Richard[illegible]
and John Richardson to [illegible] and [illegible]
according to the towne proposalls to be [illegible]
by the last of June Next and to be
finished by
4ly voted that [illegible] the money at three yea[illegible]
for Gilding and finishing of the meeting [illegible]
be paid the one half at the Raising of
the Roof of the meeting house the other half at the finishing
of the [illegible] by the time a towne present [illegible]
towne [illegible]
5ly voted to add Lott fletcher in roome of
Jonathan Richardson to our Comity for
Leting out Land Coming on the New m[illegible]
thorp
6ly voted that the money a towne granted for the
building and finishing the meeting house now
shall be paid to the Comity Chosen for
Laying out Land Coming on the New thorp
of June 1712 and [illegible] the one half in the [illegible]
1712 [illegible] by the last of June

at a generall towne meeting [illegible] the 6th 1711
voted that the right [illegible] by the vote of the Comity
for Laying out the first Division of Land in the
voted that Capt Adams shall joyne with the Deputy
for a Regimentall Scale

[illegible] at a Publick Meeting
[illegible] Request of John Spaulding it was
[illegible] that he [illegible] from [illegible]
[illegible] Church [illegible] years [illegible]
years is now [illegible] at hire for tenn years [illegible]
thereof free or they paying [illegible]
[illegible] to John Spaulding [illegible] Church [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible] meeting [illegible]

Wittnes this 5th of February 1683

John Spaulding

[illegible]

voted that the select men shall assess the
Towne to the value of five pounds Lawfull

At a Generall Towne meeting March the 15th 1711
voted first Stephen Richardson of Groton shall be
moderator
voted to Renno dering petition to the generall Court
for the Enlargment of a grammer Scoole

At a generall towne meeting July the first
1712 it was voted that the Towne would
Except the new meeting
Voted that a Comity Shall Be chosen to Seat
the New meeting house
voted that a Comity of five men shall be
Chosen for the Seating the New meeting
house
John Richardson Sergent William Lakeing
Capt Joseph Adams Ephriam Waldwell Senor
and Joshua Fletcher Junor are Chosen
a Comity to Seat the meeting House
voted that the Elderly persons shall be Seated
in in the foremost Seats and Like Wise
that there be a modrate Regard to Estate
in Seating the meeting house

At a Generall Towne meeting August the 19th 1713
voted to Raise a Town rate of Two pence on the pound
forth with to procure a Town Clerk

At a Generall Towne Meting march the 6. 1711
the Towne made Choyce of Towne Clerey as followeth
Stephen peirce Chosen Moderator for the Day following
Ordered to have five Selectmen this yeare

	Mr. Barron
	Lieut Kenney
for Selectmen	Cor. William fletcher
	Nathan Richardson
	Ephraim Kellerell
for Towne Clerk	Mr. Barron
for Constables	John Snow
for Grand Jury	William Longle
	Jno. Wright
for Towne treasurer	Lieut fletcher
for Thything men	Richard Stratton
	Eben parkhurst
	Abraham Byam Jun
	Samll Fletcher Jun
for Surveyors of high Ways	Thomas Chamberlin
	Benja Butterfield Surv
	John Hill
	Benjamin parker
	Taylor Samll Butterfield
for Field Drivers	William Fletcher
	Edward Spaulding
	Samll Chamberlin
	Joseph Spaulding
for viewers of fences	Lieut Fletcher
	Joseph Spaulding
	John Lead
	Edward Foster

Noted that there shall be a high Way laid out from
the Land of Sergeant Josiah Richardson for Samll
Chamberlins and Samll of their Habitations
and Jo Richardson shall have Satisfaction made
in Towne Land

At a Generall Town meeting march the 4th 1712 the Towne Chose officers for the year Enuing

Moses Barron Chose moderator for the day Enuing noted there shall be five Select men this present year

for Select men

Moses Barron
Stephen peirce Jr
Capt adams
Leut Richardson
Ensign Frow

for Towne Clerk

Moses Barron

for Constables

+ Isaac Barron
+ Ar Richardson

for Gardiery

Daniel Stickney

for Towne Treasurer

Serjt William Fletcher

for Tything men

+ Thomas Chamberlin
Samll prout Jr
+ Richard Stevens
+ Henry Spaulding

for Surveyors of high Ways

Daniel Tibbetts
+ Samll Richardson
+ Benoni Gerrish
+ Abraham Bryan Jr
+ Samll Barron

Fence viewers

+ Henry peirce Sener
+ Jno Marshall
+ Jno Cummings
+ Samll Chamberlin Jur
+ Nath Butterfield

16 Fred Turner

John Robinson
Timothy Sprague
Samll Gurney
Serjt Fletcher

voted that that the select men shall assess the Inhabitants of Chelmsford to the value of their Poll Rate and Rate for the Support of the ministry and other Towne Charges

voted that the money that the Towne lit to Capt Adams shall be Returned When the year ensuing is up

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at a generall Towne meeting Decembr the: 12: 1712

the Towne voted that it was their mind to have a Schoolmaster

voted that Colonell Byng Capt Bowers Capt Barron and Lieut Chamberlain Richardson shall have the Liberty and Benefit of any Pew in the vacant Roome on the East side of the Pulpit in the Town meeting house to the Use of Children

Between Chelmsford and [illegible]
Mary Barron

voted Provided it be no damage to the highway to the Meane Reimbourse

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December the 3 1712
Publick Chosen Representative

A true Copy of the Records of the Town of Ipswich Dec 15. 1715

April the 1st 1714

Above Page Commited to Constable
Jonathan Brown amounting to 71 16 8
on the same Day Commited to
Joseph Heyes above Page amounting to 00 14 8

October the 19th 1714 A province Rate
Commited to Constable Joseph Heyes amounting to 72 1 0

and Like Wise A province Rate Commited
to Constable Jonathan Howard Amounting to 46 17 11

A province Rate Commited to Constable Benony Dutch amounting to forty and twelve shillings November the first 1715 all the same time a province Rate Commited to Constable Joshua Fuller amounting to forty two pounds & fourteen shillings 42 14 0

May the 4 1717 Stephen Peirce Senior Was Chosen Representative

At a generall Towne meeting May the 12 1718

Capt Moses Barron Chosen Moderator

Voted that Goodard shall have one hundred pound a yere till the towne shall Cause to alter it by a vote

Voted that the Towne shall give Seven Pounds for finishing the Inside of a house for the hanging of the Bell the house to be twelve foot Square and fourteen foot and the Roofe well bored and shingled the sides bored the bell Crampt a good Lock and Key to the house and a Rope to Ring the bell with all

Voted that the house for hanging the bell shall stand Near the South West End of the ground where our old meeting house did stand

Voted that notwithstanding the votes Concerning hanging the bell the towne hath noted that Jonathan Brewington shall build and finish four Convenient places there for and bring in his bill to the Towne

Voted to Petition the Generall Court that the fishing Place at Pulpit may be granted to Ipswich for their benefit of Erecting a Weare in Ipswich the fishing place lyeing the South side meremack

[illegible] Lath for Lodge [illegible] past year 1714
[illegible] never duly Cleared Comes to Shillings &c
[illegible] Sessions this is Both Fair Reckoned &c

	£	s	d
[illegible] Reckoned for my Quarters Salary from	0	0	0
January the 25th to April the 25th 1714	18	10	0
[illegible] Within Prince for Service at generall	0	0	0
Court in 1713	2	15	0

October the 9th 1719

[illegible] Prince Rae Committed to Constable
Timothy Orans Amounting to 16 12 0.
[illegible] 1719 [illegible] Prince Rae
Committed to Constable [illegible]
Amounting to 15 10 0

Constable [illegible] Promis to pay
the Queen's Rights at the above Said Court
which is 0 0 9
[illegible] to be Deducted out of Brewers fines
[illegible] due

[illegible] Constable Timothy Orans
Promis to pay to the Treasurer
the Queen's Rights of the Fines
Inflicted for the Charges of 0 12 0

May ye 7th 1718

A Town Rate Commited to Constable
Joseph Spaulding Amounting to - - - - 64 05 10
on the same day A Town Rate Commited
to Constable Henery Spaulding amounting to 69 10 09
October 16 A province Rate Commited to Constable
Joseph Spaulding amounting to - - - - 39 17 00
16 A province Rate Commited unto Constable
Henery Spaulding amounting to - - - 43 14 00

Sept: 1718 A towne Rate Comitted to Constable
Zachariah Hill Amounting to - - - 54 17 ?
April 1718 A towne Rate Comitted to Constable
Henry Spaulding Amounting to - - 79 6 ?

October 19: 1719 A Town Rate made and
was Comited to Constable Timothy Jewins a Rate
Amounting to ——— 22 08 ??
and at the same time there was Comitted
to Constable John Cummins a Rate
which amounted to ——— 28 16 04

At a Generall Town meeting may the 11th 1713
Mr Stephen Paine was Chosen Representive

At a meting of the Proprietors January the: 15th: 1766
Mr Ebenezer Barron Chosen moderator for the day a
Vote
It was voted one the day a Vote fo that Whosoever
shall presume to Cut any pine trees for drawing
turpitine upon the Commons shall be prosecuted
as the Law direct
on the day a Vote fo Lieutant Jonathan Cowen
was Chosen by the Proprietors to be one of the Comite for
the Laying out the Commons in Rehoboth
voted that if the Last seven proprietors
that had there first devision Land will not
Proced to the Laying out there Second devision
according to the Rules of Laing out that then
the Next seven of the Proprietors shall Proced
to Laying out there Rights

At a meeting of the Proprietors of the Common Lands in
Rehoboth may the 18th 1714 by a warrent from Capt Nicholas
Brown Chose mr Ebenezer Barron moderator
on the day a vote it was voted that every Proprietor
of the Commons on Meeting for that shall find any Person
Cutting and Destroying any Pine tree or trees on ye Commons
or Gathering turpintine shall and may prosecute
Against all and every such offender and shall have
the benefit of the Law in that Case and
this meeting is adjourned till the next Tuesday at nine
in the morning
Voted that the 28th be adjournment the proprietors voted
that they would not [illegible] the Common Lands in Rehoboth to any person
Voted that they will not dispose the said Lands nor Part
of them
Voted that the County be an Equal Share with
and Don with the County money or the Land they
one fee any above
Ebenezer Barron

At a Generall Quarter meeting march the 8th 1715
[illegible] Price Esqr Chief Justice
[illegible] Esqr & Justices then present

for fellet men

Jno Goose
Capt Adams
Stephen prince Gent
Serg[t] Abram Tuttle
Capt Sewall
John Goose

for Constables

Capt Samll Tuttle
[illegible]

for grand Jury

Jonathan Richardson

for Coroner

Lieut Jonath Richardson

Sam[ll] Tuttle
Jno Severy
Benjamin Ingalls
Richard Dodge

Surveyors for the high ways

Lieut Severy
Thomas Purker
Wm Tuttle
Timothy Adams

fence viewers

Lieut Tuttle
Sam[ll] Tuttle
Joseph Adams
Severy Parker

Hogward or field drivers

Samll Tuttle
[illegible]

March the 6th 1715/6

voted that the Select men Shall Assess the Towne to the value of six Single Rates for the Town ...

voted to adjourne the rest of this meeting and Remaining part to be don till the 20th day of march at eight of the Clock in the fore Noone

March ye 12 1715/16 The town Officers Last Chosen were then Sworn to the faithfull Discharg of their Respective offices in presence of the Select men as attest Jehil Gost Clerk

At a generall town meting march ye 20th by adjournment from march the 6th 1715/6 Special Reference being had unto ...

Voted that M. Stoken Shall have sixteen pounds ... to his state rate ... untill the town Shall see cause to withdraw the same by a meajer vote

Voted that Joseph Parker Shall serve as ... for ...

voted the day afore said that the Select men ... shall send ... with the Select men ... laying out a high way from town ... which shall be thought by them most convenient

At a Generall Town meeting April ye 2d 1716 The town voted that the Select men of this towne should send to the Select men of Billerica and other towns concerned in Billerica bridg ... to meet with our Select men att ye bridg in order to the Considering of what may be most proper to be done whether to repair ... to be built ye bridg

At ye 10th 1716 then according to the vote of ye town the Select men of this town met with the Select men of Billerica at the bridg ... with the bridg and found it very Defective and Judg it necesary that something be speedily done ... consult ... upon ye most ... that the towns concerned to take the same at this ... bridg it is therefore voted ...

25 [illegible] with the gentlemen that built the bridge [illegible]
[illegible] meet all the [illegible]
[illegible] further [illegible]

[illegible] the Selectmen of Chelmsford & Tilleree [illegible]
together with the Selectmen that built said bridge &
[illegible] with them mett att said bridg and
the Judgment of the said Gentlemen was that the
was so Defective as that it [illegible]
[illegible] to the towns Concerned to repaire it
Accordingly it was then agreed by the Select men
to lay it before the Respective towns att their
next meeting

Att A Generall Town meeting may ye 28: 1716
Mr Stephen Peirce then Chosen Representative
for the year ensueing:
on the Day above said the town voated that
their should be three men Chosen as a commity
to confer with the commity that Bilerica
have chosen Relating to Billerica Great bridg
accordingly the town Chose
Capt Moses Barron
Sargt Willm Fletcher
Capt Joseph Adams
voated that the Commity
afore said should have the
same power to order and
mandge the affairs relating
to the bridg in every article
as Billerica Commity have

Att a Generall Town meeting January ye 4th 1716/17
it was then voated that Mr Stephen Peirce should be moderator
on the day.

on the day above said that paying in the answers
that have ben given in to Dismiss from paying their
Rate upon the minis[illegible] they having a
right upon Election to think that they pay their
proper Rate to the minister they are
voated on the same day that thomas Hunt of Billerica
shall have twenty shillings paid out of the town
Treasury into him in Consideration of the Loss
he has Don at Billerica Great bridg

we the Subscribers are petitioners as followeth

Joshua Fletcher
Josiah Whitney
Josiah Barrit
Ben. Robins
moses Brooks
Joseph Hildreth
} subscribers

May the first: 1717 John Bates Junr appointed
to Sweep the meeting house for which they to have
the pound and five shillings for the year 1 5 0

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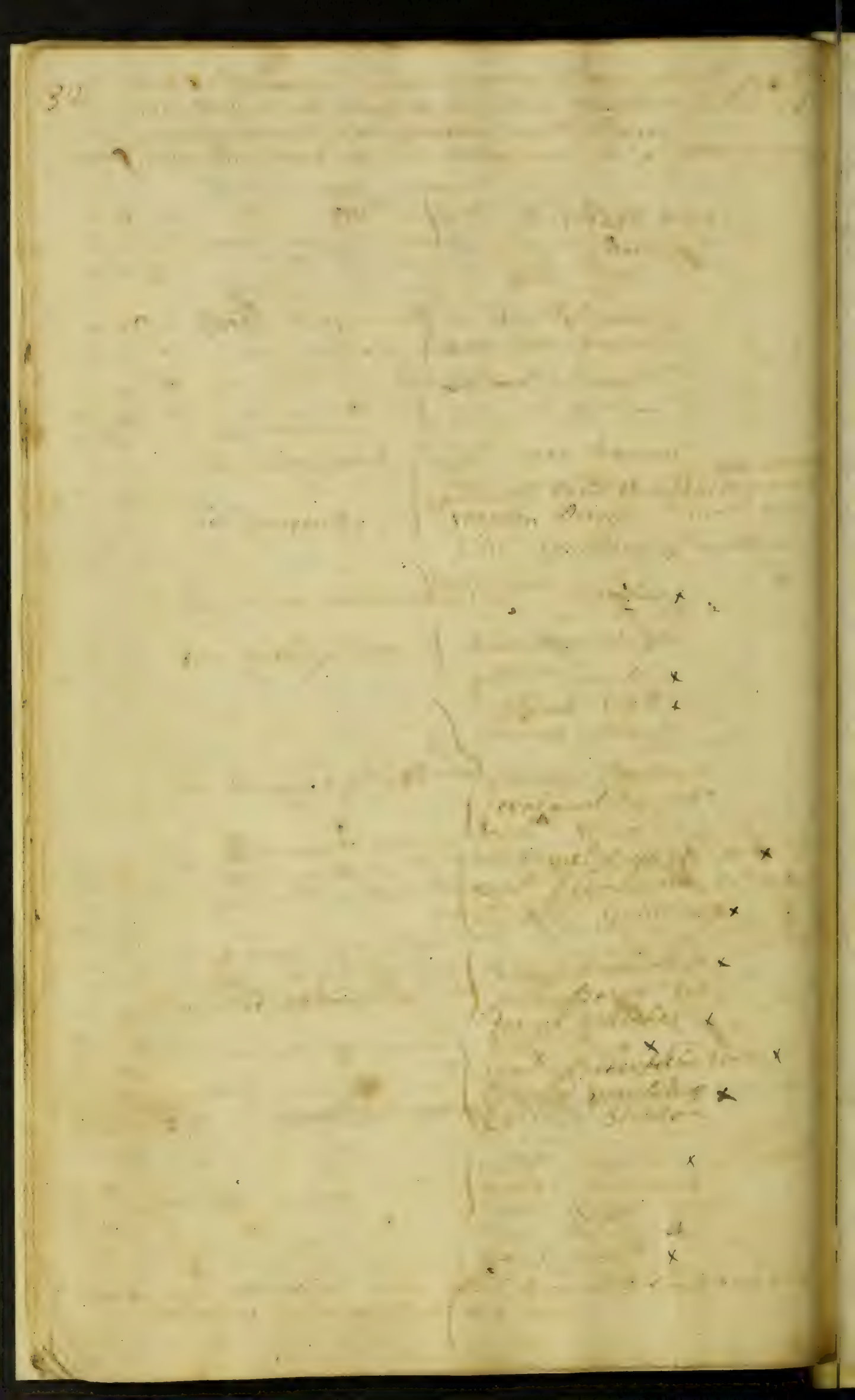
Province Tax Raised this present year 1716
one hundred sixty three pounds seventeen shillings and
seven pence and thus it hath been disposed of
Pd Mr Stoddard for half a years Salary from January
to July ye 25th 1716 — 45 00 00
Pd Mr Stephen Peirce for his service at Court 6 00 00
Pd Mr Stephen Peirce for service at Court 1 04 00
Pd Mr Stephen Peirce for service at Court 6 00 00
4 years salary
Pd 20 Shillings p. Ann. for 4 1 00
1 10 0
0 7 0
0 5 0
0 1 0
0 1 0
0 11 0
0 10 0
0 12 0
1 00 00
0 3 0
0 6 0
about
0 0 4
Pd Capt Adams
for Drawing
& Engr 0 9 15
5
Pd Capt Adams & Capt 1 12 06
for want of a Grist master
Pd Chinebattles Heirs
Expenses of Prisl
Pd Will Batcher for amending ye great Bridge 0 00 0
Pd Mr Prince for Keeping Scull 10 0 0
Pd Mr Stoddard for one Quarters Salary from
January ye 25th to April ye 25th 22 10 0
Pd Mr Stoddard for part of his July Salary from April
ye 25th to July 25: 1717 15 0 0
Pd Lieut Richardson for Serving as treasurer
two years 1 04 0

There hath bin Raised this Present yer: 1717 a Towne Rate amounting to one Hundred thirty and one Pounds and there is yet behind of ~ ~ ~



March the 11th 1717 the major parte of the Inhabitants of
appeared and made oath to the faithfull discharge of their
respective offices to which they were Chosen the 6th
Instant Boring present

At a generall Towne meeting September the 18. 1701
on the Day a bove sd the Towne granted moore to debate
upon these Towne affaires touching the Lady Gibbon Pasture
and Gibbins
It was voted on the day a bove sd that there should
be sent home Conveniency for hanging the Bell for the
use of the
voted on the day above sd that the Towne shall
chuse a Comitty to consider what the Charge of a
Conveniency for hanging the bell may Come to
and a Conveniency where to set it and to make
Report to the Towne at their next generall Towne
Meeting
The Towne voted on the Day a bove sd and made
choyce of Lieut Comallan, Richardson, Stephen
Prince Senr and Edward Spaulding to go
a Journey to Judge at a bove sd and to Give
in a Report to the Towne at there next
generall Towne meeting
voted on the day a bove sd that the Towne
will fence
the Burieing place with a good
post and rail fence well Faced & sure
and it shall high
voted that the Selectmen shall see to the Leadin
ute of the Stone wall and se that it is made accor
to the note a bove sd forthwith
The Selectmen have Let out the fencing the
Burieing Place to Robert Richardson Esq
William Fletcher and John Batey
fence to be made within one month from
for which the above sd Richardson Fletcher
and Batey are to have five shillings a Rood and
to fence it to be made every Way according
to the above note Cambridge march the 10: 1711

At a Generall Towne meeting Held the 4th
the Towne made Choyce of these for the ensuing

Capt Moses Barron chosen Moderator
Voted to have five select men this present year

for select men

Moses Barron
Stephen Dexter senor
John Goose
Lieut Jonath Richards
Ensign Benjamin Adams

for Towne Clerk

Moses Barron

for Constables

Andrew Franklin
Thomas Adams

Zachariah Reed Excuses
Thomas Adams

Constable in the Roome

for grand Jury

Samll Prockter

Serjt William Fletcher for Towne Treasurer

for Tithing men

Moses Baril Jun
Saml Foster
William Fletcher Surveyor
John Knight

for Surveyors of highways

Ebenr Parker
Ebenezer Graham Jun
John Brown
Nathaniel Emery
John Spalding
Nicon Read
William Fletcher Junr
Ebenezer Parkhurst Senor

for fence viewers

Samll Richardson
William Tangle
Jonathan Barnard
Zachariah Richardson
Serjt Moses Baril Jun
Saml Fletcher
Saml Trumbull
Simon Standley

Lunbelle ye 1718

John Butterfield
Chas Hayes
Jonathan Bowers
Joseph Woodwell Senor
Wm Osborn
Ebn Spaulding
Nathl parker
Jacob Adam

Fr field Viewers

At a town meeting William Fletcher for his service as town Treasurer 1717 voted 1 00
voted that the Selectmen shall agree
the town to the value of 7 Single Rates

These may Certifie that the within named
Jacob Adam & Wm Fletcher were Sworn as Constables for the
Town of Chelmsford upon their Generall Town meeting
in March for the year 1717/18
Before me Oliver Whiting Justice of Peace

This is a true Copy of the Original Certificate and
Recorded ye 14th Day of January 1719/20
Pr Benjamine Prescott Clerk

7 Where hath been Rec[d] this present Province year 1718 a Town Rate Amounting to one hundred pounds four pence three shillings and eight pence and this hath been disposed of [illegible] £ s d

To Mr Stoddard for his Quarters salary from the 25th of July the 25 1718	0	0	0
To Mr Stoddard for his Quarters salary from July the 25th to October the 25 1718	19	4	6
To Mr Stoddard for his Quarters salary from October the 25th to January the 25 1718	25	0	0
To Mr Stoddard for his Quarters salary from January the 25th to April 25th 1719	25	0	0
To Mr Prentice for Keeping School	25	0	0
To Henery Spaulding and Joseph Foster for mending the Pound	22	0	0
For fenceing the Burying Place	0	0	0
To Joseph for mending the burying place fence and gate and making some for the School house	1	2	0
To Henery Spaulding for Daniell Lovejoy	6	12	0
Rate Collectors Quitable	0	5	0
To Mr Jos Baron for Service at Court.	0	9	0
To Zachariah Heard for Returning the Precept	0	0	0
To Zachariah Heard for Carrying a distringus	12	4	0
woman to Billerica with his assistance	0	5	0
To making the Reclawation Bill	0	5	0
To John Gosse	0	0	0
To Mr Jos Barron	0	15	0
To Benjamin Adams	0	15	0
To Lewt Richardson	0	1	6
To Step Peirce	0	4	6
for making the Province tax	0	4	6
To Stephen Peirce	0	0	0
To Lewt Richardson	0	3	0
To Benjamin Adams	0	4	0
To Mr Jos Barron	0	4	0
To John Gosse	0	6	0
To Lewt Richardson for a Lock	0	6	0
To John Gradish for mending the meeting house Glass	0	1	3
To Capt Jn Parkman for glazing the meeting house all the Glass that was Comming	0	0	0
To John Gosse for Physick	2	10	3
To Mr Jos Barron for Physick	0	0	0
To Mr Jos Barron for Physick	1	5	0
To Mr Jos Barron for Physick	0	0	0
To Mr Jos Barron for Physick	0	6	0

[illegible] Town meeting [illegible]

[illegible] Town [illegible]

[illegible] Stephen Peirce Moderator [illegible]

[illegible]

for Select men	4	Stephen Peirce Moses Barron Benjamin Adams Richardson Will Hersey Moses Barron
for Town Clerk		[illegible]
for Constables		[illegible]
for Assessors	X	[illegible]
for Grand Jury		[illegible]
for Tything men	X X	[illegible] [illegible] Ebenezer Parker Eben Wright
Surveyors of High Ways	X X X X	[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Jacob Barron Thomas Rider [illegible] [illegible]
for the Poor	X	[illegible]
Town Treasurer	X	Josiah Fletcher
	X	[illegible]
	X	[illegible]
		[illegible]

March the 3 1718/19 at a Town meeting

William Longfellow
X William Fletcher
Joseph Hedrith
for Eliz Orrins ... Aaron Parker
X Esek Parker
X Joseph Parker
X Aquila [illegible]

Voted that the Selectmen shall assess the Town
a tax of seven single Rates to the Reparation
the Bridge & Signing to the Town for this purpose

Voted that Edward Spaulding Level Zebulon
Leach and Jon shall be a Comte to meet
with the Selectmen Snow & Woburn Committee
& Building a Convenient Place for hanging the Bell
& make Report to the Town the next
Town meeting

Voted that the Day next night shall be a
publick Town meeting at Nine a Clock
in the fore Noone for bring a List of those
that are for hanging the Town Rate and those
that Oppose it that may Come to the Town

At a Generall Town meeting March the 7th 1719
Stephen Peirce Senr Chosen moderator for the Day &
Joseph Peirce Senr Chosen Constable for the
South side of Shelmsford for the present year
Voted & Declared by the moderator that the Vote
for hanging the Bell on the meeting house
and Building the same with a Cupalow
Weather Cock & Vane
for Sawett about Lining in the house the
Voted that Stephen Peirce Senr and Jeverall of the
Inhabitants of the West shall have Liberty to build a Pue
over the meeting house
Voted and Ordered Ensign Isaac Farwell Ensign Jacob Emery
Mr Joseph Parker Select for Setting a Walle about the
meeting house
Voted that Zebulon Leach and Jon Joseph Parker
[illegible] the Selectmen in the Affair
[illegible]

At a generall Towne meeting march the 17: 1719
Voted to build a New Pound

Reinsted may 15th 1719 To Mr
Barnstone Treasurer these are to order you the
Sume of Constable Linsotty adamy the Sume of
Eighty seven Pounds Ten shilling & six pence and
al the same is hereby are ordred to Receive
Constable John Cummings the Sume of Eighty
Pounds & twelve shillings and four pence
both these Sumes you are to Receive of the town
use and to Pay out by the Select mens order

Jonat Richardson
Stephen Peirce
Benj Adams

It appears upon the Town Book that Capt
Edgs Barron Town Treasurer for Rumd
before his Decease in his Presentry Acct 1719
By orders from the Selectmen Received of
the Constables the Following Sums that
is to say of Constable John Cumming Sixth 23 : 5 : 10
and of Timothy Adams Constable Sixth 03 : 1 : 00

and out of the above Sum has been
paid by the above Sd Capt Barron to Sundry
persons to whome the Town was Indebted
the Sum of —— —— —— 20 13 : 8

and there Remain Due to the Town from
the Heirs of Capt Barron Decd —— 06 : 2 : 02

Novemr 16 1719 Orders given by the
Selectmen to Mr William Fletcher
Town Treasurer to Receive for the Town
use of the Heirs of Capt Barron Decd
the Sum of —— —— —— 06 02 02.

By a warrant from [illegible] bearing Date the 16: Day of December 1720 from
Danl Pierpont Esqr to Levy out of the Estate of Capt Edgs Barron
late of Rumney Marsh Deceased the Sum of Six pounds two shillings
& two pence as appears by the Return of the Constable
(Dated January 23: 1720 [illegible] & within
mentioned) Remaining unpaid by the Family out of Town
and to be Levied by Distress &c
Mr Benj: Adams Town Clk

The warrant above Specified was Entered at the
General Sessions of the Peace Holden by Adjournment at
Concord the Second Tuesday of June 1722

[illegible] a warrant for the Levying
out of Town: [illegible]
the Peace [illegible] Concord the Last Thursday of
August 1722

June 1714 Recd of Constable Orbin Stoone Rate
Amounting the Sume of — 9 10 0

July the 11th 1719 Recd of Constable
for the Comings the Rate of — 13 15s 10

October the 12th 1720 the Selectmen of
Chelmsford agreed with Eli Smith to
provide all things necessary for
the Schoolmaster during the Year
ensuing for the Sum of Eighty
pounds to be raised by a Rate
Levied upon the Inhabitants

Received of Constable Timothy Adams
the above Rate — 3 10 0

22: 17
At a genral Town Meeting Septem: the Town Made Choice of Officers as follo.
Mr Steven Peirce was Chosen Moderato. for the Day above Sd

Benjamin Adams was Chosen Town Clerk
Sent William Fletcher was Chosen Town Treasurer
Ephraim Hildreth was Chosen Select man

Voted on the Day above Sd that the Select men shall Asess the Town to the value of two Single Rates and a half for the Paying the Charges arising in the Town this present year and Lend

on the Day above Sd Benjamin Adams was Sworn to the office to which he was Chosen

September the 29 1719
William Fletcher was Sworn to the office of a Town Treasurer

(illegible) ye 25 1719) Voted yt ye Selectmen
[illegible] Treasurer [illegible] to Pay the
[illegible] with the Town Rate yt is now
[illegible] to Pay the Town Debts the Sum
to — — —

1719

To Mr Russel County Treasurer
for the County Rate — 10 14 01

To Left William Fletcher for
Skin Care of the meeting House the
first year past — 00 10 00

Whereas Due to Lt Jonathan Richardson
and John Richardson for building the fort
upon the meeting house and the weather Cock
Seventy three pound three & seven pence — 23 03 07
out of which Sum was paid to the
Sd Lt Richardson and John Richardson
by Capt Bowne Treasurer deceased — 09 00 00
and there Remains Due to Sd Richardsons 14 03 07

To Lt Jonathan Richardson for
Richardson for what Remains due — 14 03 07
for building the fort and weather cock
To Mr Samuel Flood and Symon Smith
25 1719 to July 25. for his Quarters
Sallery part wages of being — 05 16 00
being one of Capt Bowne Treasurer
deceased and there Remains due to
to Mr Flood and — 19 04 00
to Mr Flood and for his Quarters Sallery
from Smith 25 to July 25 1719 19 04 00

To Mr Steven Peirce for his Service at the
Generall Court as Representative the present
year — 10 04 00

To Ser Joshua Fletcher for his being
over Rated in the year 1718 & in 1719 00 04 00
to Benjamin from Rate not rattable — 00
To John Braddish for mending the Pales of the
meeting house — 17 06
to Elizabeth Peram for sweeping the Meeting house
from the Last of may 1719 to May 1720 — 01 10 00
to Capt Fletcher for taking Care of the
meeting house from the Last of may 1719 to
the Last of may 1720 — 01

and Ringing the

turn over

Belonging; 7 19 there was a Rule made
to Defray the Town Charge and the pre-
sent Levying the County Treasurers warrant
which amounted to Sixty one pounds 5 14

Novem^r ye 3^d 1719
Agreed with Nathaniel Prentice Constable
this day to Receive of Simon Bradstreet the
sum of ——— 32 08 00
and Likewise of John Comin Constable
the sum of ——— 28 16 00

1719 To m^r Isaac Pain for making County
Tax ——— 00 04 00
To m^r Obadiah Hiscock for making County
Tax ——— 00 04 00
To Captain William Hubbard for making
the County Tax ——— 00 10 00
To Andrew Lee Esq^r for making ye
County Tax ——— 00 00 00
To Lt Benjamin Lynde for making the
County Tax ——— 00 00 00
To the Selectmen of Capt Bowers Farms
for Laying out a highway ——— 00 03 00
To Lt Jonathan Richards for Laying out
a highway ——— 00 03 00
To Lt Brown and for two days
in Laying out highways ——— 00 06 00
To m^r Caleb Hill for a days in Lay-
ing out highways ——— 00 01 00
To Capt Prescott for viewing and
Stating for Capt Bowers Laying out highway — 00 03 00
To m^r Jonathan Hitchcock for Laying out
highways ——— 00 03 00
To m^r Nathaniel Prentice for Keeping
one Cow from the first of May
ing to the first of Nov^r 20 ——— 18 00 00
for Relieving the Present ——— 00 05 00
To Timothy Adams the ——— 00 03 00
——— 00 02

To Jonathan Barron for Collect
Expence for the Year 1719 ——— 03 00 10
To Zachariah Sled for 3 Warrants Collections
Rate not gettable ——— 00 01 06
To Lt Benjamin Adams for Serving a Writ 00 10 00
To Lt Benjamin Adams for Drawing
the Province Tax ——— 00 03 00
To Zachariah Sled for Sundry Rates
not Gettable that is to say Jonathan Kemp
junr his Rates & the Town and Country for
the year 1718 ——— 00 13 08
for Joseph Swans Rates for the Year 1718
to the Bridge & Town and Country not gettable 00 18 01
for Shadrach Howe Rate not Gettable 00 03 01
for Samuel Goodwins Rate not gettable — 00 03 09
To Capt Richardson and John Richardson
for an addition to Building the Gaol — 00 03 00
To Joseph Barret Senr for his 30/24 part
which was Rated att Concord for the year 1719
as appears by a Certificate from the Town Clerk
of Concord ——— 00 13 05
To Ensign William Fletcher for time and Expence
in getting advice and obtaining a writt against
Constables Shed for the Town money ——— 01 00 00
To Lt Benjamin Adams forgetting a Copy of a
warrant Comitted to Constable and going to
Billerica to take Care of the Great Bridge — 00 05 00
To John Corning Collector for Sundry
Rates not gettable Viz of Seven
Parkers ——— 01 01 00
of John Cole ——— 00 06 10
of Benjamin Read ——— 00 13 11
to Jonas Simonds for being overrated 00 04 02
to Silas Keyes for being over Rated 00 03 07

September the 22: 1720

[illegible] Jonathan Ryland[illegible] William Silvester
and Benjamin Twining were Chosen
to Represent this Town at the
September 28 Court for Election Power of Attorney
the ensuing Year —

[illegible] the 28th 1720 Committed
to Benjamin Robbins Constable the Precept
Past for the Southerly part of Richmond
to gather and bring in the Precincts Returns
according to 25 12 d

Att the above said Committee to Execute
According Constable the Precept for
the Northerly Side of Richmond to gather
and bring in the Precincts Returns —
according to 22 11

Here being Edward Spaulding's assessment
above mentioned 01 = 12 = 10 more than
the Sum Total which the Selectmen Put on
per the Towns vote

At a Genaral Town Meeting March the 1st 1719/20
The Town made Choyce of officers according to the direction
in the Law for the yeare insuing as followeth vizt Nancey
Mr Stephen Peirce Chosen moderator for the Town
voted to have five Selectmen for the yeare insuing

for Selectmen
1 Mr Steven Peirce
2 Lt Benjamin Adams
3 Ensn William Fletcher
4 Capt Jonathan Richardson
5 Capt Jonathan Bowers

for Town Clerk Lt Benjamin Adams

for Constables Benjamin Robbins
Nathaniel Butterfield junr

for Town Treasurer Ensign William Fletcher

for Grand Jury Ensign Lee

voted to Chuse the Ordinary Town officers by hand vote

for Surveyors
Mr Richard Jeckins Sworn
Decon Joseph Merrin
Ebenezer Parkhurst Sworn
William Fletcher Junr Sworn

for Fence Viewers
Jeremiah Bowers Sworn
Edward Spaulding Sworn
Jacob Stratton Sworn
Thomas Read Sworn
[illegible] Sworn
Thomas Fletcher Sworn
Nathaniel Adams Sworn

for Field Drivers and Haywards
John Butterfield Sworn
Benj Howard Sworn
John Read Sworn
[illegible] Sworn
[illegible] Sworn
Samll Read Sworn

Voted on the Generall from meeting on the
the first that the Selectmen shall assess
the Town to the Value of seven Single R

Voted on the Day above Nathaniel Peabody Esq
Edward Spalding Esq Samll Phillips Esq
the Town by a vote
Spalding

on the Day above Do Edward Spalding was
sworn to his Respective office and took the
Oath Wm Whiting Esqre

on the Day above Do Benja Hickling was
sworn to the office of Town Clerk by
Wm Whiting Esqre

on the Day above Do was Sworn for Surveyors
of Highways

Andrew Foster Sworn
Ebenezer Parker — Sworn
Joseph Fletcher — Sworn
John Swallow Sworn
Joseph Butterfield — Sworn
Stephen Peirce Sworn
Nathan Butterfield Junr Sworn
Saml John Bates

March the 7th Benjamin Robbins was Sworn
before me to the office of Constable

March the — William Fletcher was Sworn
to the office of Town Treasurer Sworn by
the Town Clerk according to the Direction of the Law

of the Inhabitants and Freeholders
At a Generall Town meeting at Chelmsford March
17th 1719/20
Voted that a moderator should be chosen for this
Day above Said
The Petition of Jonas Prescott & others was Read
& Ingrossed praying Leave to bring in a Bill for
Benjamin Robbins Josiah Whitney Joshua Foskett
Daniel Bugby Wm Fay Esqr Joseph Prudden Junr
Barnet Cooke Elizabeth & John Procter was Read
voted a non Concurrance to Sd Petition
The Petition of John Procter Junr
Brown and Daniel Bugby was Read
Voted a non Concurrance to Sd Petition

Mr Day above Ebenezer Wright was Sworn to the office
of a Proprietors Clerk in Chelmsford according to the Direction of
the Law

At a Generall Town meeting of the Freeholders and
other Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford Regularly
Assembled May the 11 Day 1720
Voted that Mr Stephen Peirce should be Moderator for the
Day above Said
Mr Stephen Peirce was Chosen Representative for the
Year Ensuing
At a Generall Town meeting of the Freeholders
and other Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford Regularly
assembled June the 22 Day 1720
Voted that Mr Stephen Peirce should be Moderator for
Day above Sd
Mr Stephen Peirce was Chosen Representative
for the Year Ensuing

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A List of the following Rate made by the Select Men of Chelmsford on this 14th Day of March 1722 to be Levyed & Collected of the Estates Arising within the Town

	Polls	State	Income	Total
	ll s d	ll s d	ll s d	ll s d
Benjamin Adams	00 — 08 — 09	07 — 00	02 — 11 0 0	18 08
Mary Adams	00 — 08 — 09	07 — 00	05 — 10 0 1	01 07
Eleanor Adams	00 — 08 — 09	00 — 02	04 — 08 0 1	01 07
Timothy Adams	01 — 08 — 03	06 — 03	04 — 01 0 1	12 0
Pellatiah Adams	00 — 08 — 09	07 — 00	03 — 06 0 0	19 00
Samuel Adams	00 — 08 — 09	00 — 00	00 — 00 0 0	08 09
Joseph Adams	00 — 08 — 09	01 — 02	00 — 00 0 0	10 11
Jonathan Barron	00 — 08 — 09	01 — 01	07 — 01 0 1	06 11
Luke Barron	00 — 08 — 09	07 — 00	02 — 11 0 0	18 08
Samuel Barron	00 — 08 — 09	07 — 07	03 — 06 0 0	19 10
John Burge	00 — 08 — 09	07 1/2 — 07	04 — 8	
Samuel Burge	00 — 08 — 09	00 — 00	00 — 00 0 0	09 09
Josiah Burge	00 — 08 — 01	00 — 04	01 — 00 0 1	02 00
Daniel Burge	00 — 00 — 00	00 — 11	02 — 04 0 0	03 03
Henry Blodgett	00 — 08 — 09	01 — 02	01 — 00 0 0	11 04
John Barret	00 — 08 — 09	01 — 02	00 — 00 0 0	09 11
[illegible] Barret	00 — 07 — 06	00 — 00	07 — 00 0 1	14 06
[illegible] Burge	[illegible]	02 — 11	[illegible] 0 0	[illegible]
Jacob Butterfield	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jonathan Barret	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jonathan Barret jun	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Barret jun	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Barron	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Barron	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ebenezer Butterfield	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Bowers	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Barron	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Barret	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Barret jun	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Benjamin Cambell	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Thomas Cambell	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Samuel Cambell	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

	Polls	Estate			
	£ s d	£ s d			
Samuel Chamberlin jun^r	00=17=06	01=11	01=02	01	01
Joseph Chamberlin	00=08=09	07=00	01=00	00	17
widow Elizabeth Couch	00=00=00	01=09	03=06		14
[illegible] Cory & son	00=17=06	04=00	02=11	11	
John Cory junr	00=08=09	01=02	00=[illegible]		
Josiah Cory	00=08=09	00=00	00=00		
Elmes Collier	00=08=09	00=00	00=00		
Abraham Chamberlin	00=08=09	00=11	00=00	00	
[illegible] Emery	00=08=09	07=00	01=09	17	
Cr					
Joshua Fletcher	00=05=10	05=05	02=09	12	
[illegible] Fowler	00=08=09	05=10	03=06	00	
Dan^l Judy Foster	00=[illegible]	01=02	01=02		2
[illegible] Foster	00=08=09	02=04	01=09	2	14
Moses Foster	00=02=11	03=01	00=00	00	
Elias Foster	00=08=09	02=11	00=00	00	6
John Foster	00=08=09	03=00	01=02	01	12
L					
[illegible]	00=17=06	01=09	01=02	01	01
Moses Reeves junr	00=08=09	01=02	00=00	09	09
John Kidder senr	00=17=06	09=04	03=06	01	10
John Kider junr	00=08=09	02=11	01=02	00	12
Thomas Kidder	[illegible]	05=03	01=09	00	15
Joseph Kidder	00=08=09	00=00	00=00	00	08
Benjamin Kidder	00=08=09	01=02	00=00	00	09
Jonathan Kemp	00=08=09	04=01	01=02	00	14
Joseph Kemp	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		08
[illegible]	00=08=09	05=10	02=09	00	16
P					
John Peder senr	00=17=06	09=11	07=00	01	14
John Peder junr	00=08=09	05=03	01=02	00	15
Peter Peder senr	00=17=06	08=02	05=10	01	11
Peter Peder junr	[illegible]	01=02	02=11	00	12

	Polls £	s	d	Estate £	s	d	Income £	s	d	Tax £	s	d
Joshua Parker	00	08	09	13	05		08	02		01	10	04
Benjamin Parker	00	17	06	07	00		04	01		01	00	07
Mary Parker	00	00	00	02	04		00	07		00	02	01
Samuell Parker	01	06	03	13	04		07	02		02	06	10
Ebenezer Parker	00	08	09	07	07		01	09		00	18	01
Jonathan Procter	00	08	09	05	03		02	04		00	16	01
Robbert Procter	00	08	09	05	03		00	00		00	14	00
Aaron Parker	00	08	09	05	03		01	09		00	15	09
Nathan Procter	00	08	09	03	06		00	00		00	12	03
R												
John Robbins	00	08	09	05	10		07	00		01	01	07
John Read	00	02	11	02	04		01	02		00	07	05
Benjamin Robbins	00	02	11	02	05		01	02		00	06	06
Thomas Robbins sen	00	08	09	06	05		02	04		00	17	06
Thomas Robbins jun	00	08	09	00	00		00	00		00	08	09
S												
Susanah Spaulding	00	00	00	05	10		03	06		00	11	01
John Swallow	00	08	09	04	08		04	01		00	17	06
Ambrose Swallow	00	08	09	02	11		01	09		00	13	05
Elizabeth Spaulding	00	00	00	05	10		03	06		00	09	09
John Spaulding	00	17	06	06	05		04	01		01	08	00
Richard Stratton	00	17	06	07	00		04	08		01	07	02
Zachariah Shedd	00	08	09	12	11		01	09		00	13	05
U												
Samuel Underwood	00	08	09	01	09		01	09		00	12	03
Aquilla Underwood	00	08	09	05	10		04	08		00	19	03
W												
Joseph Warrin	01	06	03	12	10		08	02		02	07	03
Josiah Whittney	00	02	11	02	02		01	02		00	06	03
Joseph Whittney	00	08	09	05	03		01	09		00	15	09
Jacob Warrin	00	08	09	02	06		01	02		00	12	05
Richard Groffin	00	17	06	05	03		01	09		01	07	06
Edward Bates	00	08	09	04	01		03	06		00	16	04
Ebenezer Wright	00	08	09	07	00		02	11		00	18	08
Isaach hildreth	00	08	09	02	04		02	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Isaac hildreth jun	00	08	09	00	03		00	00		00	09	00
Richard hildreth	01	06	03	08	02		05	03		01	09	08
Nathll Ingwood	00	08	09	08	02		04	01		01	00	00
Ephraim Wyeth	01	06	03	13	05		08	08		02	01	05
Joseph hildreth	00	02	11	02	00		00	07		00	05	06
Joseph hildreth	00	08	09	05	10		02	11		00	14	05
Ebenezer hildreth	00	08	09	03	06		01	09		00	14	00
Ephraim hildreth jun	00	02	04	00	11		00	02		00	02	00
							Sum Total Errors Excepted			85	10	00

Middlesex ss

To the Constable Borsholders Tythingmen or Chiefe Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford Within the County of Middlesex Greeting

In his Majesties Name you are Required to Levy and Collect of the several Persons in a Rate or Assessment (Committed unto each one his respective proportion thereof set down) of the Summ total of Such List being a Tax or Assessment made and agreed upon by the Selectmen of the Said Town of Chelmsford Regularly Assembled on the first Day of March 1719/20 for Supply of the ordinary Charges arising within the Same and to distrain and Sell the Goods and Chattels of Such Persons as shall refuse or neglect to pay the Summ and Summs which you Shall so Levie or Collect unto William Fletcher Treasurer of the Town and to Compound and make up an account of your Collections of the Rate or Assessment att or before the Tenth Day of September next Ensuing and to pay in what Shall Shall soe Collect or Levie And if any Person or Persons Shall refuse or neglect to make payment of the Same or Summs Whereat he or they are respectively Assessed and Set in the Said List to distrain the Goods or Chattels of Such Person or persons to the Value thereof and the distress and distresses So taken to keep by the Space of Four Dayes att the Cost and Charges of the Owner And if the Owner do not pay the Summ or Summs of Money So Assessed upon him within the Said Four Dayes then the Said distress or distresses So taken you are to Cause and Expose to Sale att an out-Cry for payment of the Said Money and Charges Notice of Such Sale being Posted up in Some Publick Place within the Same Town Twenty Four Hours beforehand And the overplus Coming by the Said Sale if any be Besides the Summ or Summs of the Assessment and the Charges of taking and Keeping of the said distress and distresses to be immediately Returned to the Owner And for want of Goods or Chattels whereon to make Distress you are to Seize the Body or Bodies of the person or persons So refusing and him or them Committ unto the Common Goal of the Said County there to remain untill he or they pay and Satisfie the Several Summ or Summs whereat they are respectively Assessed as aforesaid unless upon application made to the Court of Generall Sessions of the Peace the Same or any Part thereof Shall be Abated Dated att Chelmsford March the 14th 1719/20 and in the Seventh year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George of Great Britain

Kin. &c. Gon. Richardson

By Order of the Select men of Said Town

Wm Fletcher
Benj Adams
Select men

Benjamin Adams Town Clerk

This following Rate Made by the Select men of Bristol March the 1st 1720 to be Levied for the necessary Charges Lying within Bristol

	Polls	States	Income	Total
	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
Jeremiah Bowers	00=08=09	02=11	03=06 00	17 10
Samuel Bowers	00=17=06	12=10	07=10 01	17 01
Jeremiah Bowers	00=08=09	07=	02=04 00	18 01
[illegible]	00=08=09	02=11	02=04 00	14 00
[illegible]	00=08=09	11=01	07=10 1	06 10
William Bodget	00=17=06	09=04	05=03 01	1[illegible] 01
William Bodget jun	00=08=09	03=06	02=11 00	15 02
Sarah Butterfield	00=00=00	02=06	01=09 00	04 03
Nathaniel Butterfield sen	00=08=09	00=00	0=00 00	08 09
Jonathan Butterfield jun	00=08=09	09=04	08=02 01	06 03
Samuel Butterfield	00=08=09	04=08	03=06 00	16 11
Daniel Bloget	00=08=09	05=03	03=06 00	17 06
Benjamin Bloget	00=08=09	03=06	00=00 00	12 03
Jonathan Butterfield	00=08=09	06=5[illegible]	3=06 00	18 08
Joseph Butterfield	00=08=09	05=10	02=04 00	16 11
Thomas Bloget sen	00=17=06	09=01	01=04 01	08 11
Thomas Bloget jun	00=08=09	04=08	1=02 00	14 07
Nathaniel Butterfield	00=08=09	06=05	04=01 00	19 03
Thomas Buxey	00=08=09	04=08	00=00 00	13 05
John Butterfield	00=08=09	04=08	02=04 00	14 08
Thomas Clerk	00=08=09	11=07	05=10 01	02 02
John Cummins	00=08=09	09=04	05=03 01	03 04
James Dutton	00=08=09	05=3	02=11 00	16 04
John Davise	00=17=06	01=09	01=02 01	09 03
William Fletcher	00=17=06	15=02	07=10 01	19 08
William Fletcher	00=08=09	02=11	1=09 00	13 05
Josiah Fletcher	00=00=00	00=00	01=09 00	04 09
John Fletcher	00=08=09	08=02	05=03 01	02 02
Paul Fletcher	00=08=09	07=00	03=06 00	19 03
Samuel Fletcher	00=08=09	06=05	03=06 00	18 08
Jonathan Fletcher	00=08=09	04=08	01=09 00	15 02
Isaac Fletcher	00=08=09	02=04	01=09 00	12 10
Samuel Fuller	00=08=09	05=03	02=04 00	16 0[illegible]

	Polls	State		Totall
John Richardson	11 = 00	11 = 08	07 = 00 11	16 02
Samuel Richardson	00 = 11 = 06	05 = 05	08 = 09 01	19 08
Robert Richardson	00 = 08 = 09	00 = 05	03 = 6 00	18 08
Zadock Richardson	00 = 08 = 09	02 = 04	01 = 09 00	12 10
Thomas Read	00 = 08 = 09	07 = 00	04 = 08 01	00 05
Jon Read	00 = 08 = 09	01 = 02	01 = 02 00	11 01
John Reed	00 = 08 = 09	02 = 04	00 = 00 00	11 01
Jonas Garret Spalding	00 = 00 = 00	01 = 09	01 = 02 00	02 11
Ebenezer Spalding	00 = 08 = 09	02 = 11	03 = 06 00	15 02
Widow Anna Spalding	00 = 00 = 00	01 = 09	04 = 08 00	07 07
John Spalding	00 = 08 = 09	02 = 11	02 = 04 00	14 00
Joseph Spalding	00 = 08 = 09	08 = 02	05 = 10 01	02 09
Timothy Spalding	00 = 17 = 06	08 = 02	04 = 08 01	10 04
John Stevens	00 = 17 06	05 = 10	03 = 06 01	06 10
Richard Stevens	00 = 08 = 09	07 = 04	01 = 12 00	17 06
Ichabod Stratton	00 = 08 = 09	02 = 11	01 = 02 00	12 10
John Senter	00 = 08 = 09	04 = 08	00 = 00 00	13 05
Edward Spaulding	01 = 06 = 09	10 = 06	05 = 03 02	02 00
Widow Spaulding	01 = 15 = 00	11 = 00	04 = 08 02	10 08
John Wright	00 = 17 = 06	08 = 02	04 = 01 01	09 09
Jacob Wright	00 = 08 = 09	02 = 00	00 = 00 00	00 09
Nathaniel Boynton	00 = 08 = 09	01 = 02	00 = 00 00	09 11
Samuell Butterfield	00 = 17 = 06	06 = 05	03 = 06 01	07 [illegible]
Jonathan Reed	00 = 08 = 09	04 = 08	00 = 00 08	13 05
Benjamin Richardson	00 = 08 = 09	00 = 00	00 = 00 00	08 09

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Jonath Bowers
Benj: Adams
William Fletcher
Jonath Richardson
} Selectmen

The Line Between Preston and Chelmsford was Perambulated
April the 5th 1720 By the Select men of Billerica
viewing of Billerica and Capt Jonathan Prescott and Mr Moses
Porter of Chelmsford

The Line Between Chelmsford and Dunstable was Perambulated
April the 18: 1720 By Lt Josiah Stearns and Mr Thomas
Blanchard of Concord and Mr Jonathan Barret and Lt Benjamin
Adams of Chelmsford

The Line Between Chelmsford and the Land Call the Neck
Land was Perambulated April the 22: 1720 By Lt Benjamin
Adams and John Wright for Chelmsford and Ensign William
Fletcher and Stephen Peirce just for the Proprietors of the
Neck Land at Blackoake just by the River: Meadow on ye
west side of ye meadow was fallen Down and we set a Stake
and an heap of Stones in the Stumps then westerly of ye Stake
over the High Ridge in the Bottom in the field of Stephen
Peirce just by the Stumps of an old Pine which we Judged
to be an ancient Bound we set a Stake with a heap of
Stones about it then by Edward Spaulding's fence we found
and old pine Stump which was Rotted down to the
ground with a heap of Stones upon it there we set a Stake
and within Ensign Fletcher fence there was a Bound mark
being a pine Tree newly Cutt Down and we laid a heap of
Stones on the Stump and Like wise we found Part of the
Stump of a white oak By the Great Swamp which was
Judged to be the ancient Bound mark and there we
Set a Stake with a heap of Stones about it and set a Stake
about Ten foot within the Swamp near the aforesd Stake

Attest Benjamin Adams
in the Name of the Rest

April the 12: 1721: we have as yet found it Presented by ye
grand Jury [illegible] Saying a Proprietors Meeting
it is Ordered by ye Committee that Lieutenant Benjamin
Adams in Behalf of ye Proprietors of Said Land do answer
ye Presentment: Whereupon Presentment being
Continued to the Last Day of this Session the Court
have Ordered the Said Committee to appear at the Same
Session to answer ye Said Presentment

June 22: 1720

[illegible]

[illegible] Benjamin Bo[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] ——— 95 [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] ——— 87 [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] ——— 25 00 00

To me Stephen Peirce for his serving his Remembrance this present year 03 00 00

To Zachariah Field for withstanding Samuel Wells from April the 18: 1720 untill the 25 day of [illegible] for serving warrants & returns in the time aforesd

To me Sampson Stoddard the Sum of twenty five pounds for my Quarters Sallary from July the 25 1720 to October the 25 this year ——— 25 00 00

To me Sampson Stoddard the Sum of twenty five pounds for my Quarters Sallary from october y 25: 1720 to January the 25: 1720/21 25 00 0

To me Sampson Stoddard for my Quarters Sallary from from January 25: 1720/21 to april the 25: 1721 ——— 25 00 0

To Mr Lawrence Reine for his Service as Ringer
in the Year ending the 25th Day of March 1721
Ringing begun the 25th Day of may and Ended the
Day of [illegible] Ringing began the 13th Day of
and Ended the 23d of [illegible] in the whole
the 25th Day of November and Ended the 16th Day
of December — — — — — — — — 12 00 00

To Mrs Widow margret Goulding for Scouring Metal &
Glass in the Room and for repairing her Windows
and for Cleansing Mending & Scouring the Church
Cloth — — — — — — — — 0 0 16 00

To Constable Timothy Adams for the Rate
of seven Pounds Eight Shillings Rate not gettable
for the Ye Year 1719 — — — — — — 7 8

To Constable Timothy Adams for the Rate
of Mrs Clarke 1719 not gettable — — 0 0 3 3

To Constable Timothy Adams for the Rate
of Nathan Adams 1719: not gettable — — 0 0 8 9

To Capt Gualtier Richardson for building
the Porch — — — — — — — — 8 17 00

to Sundry Carpenters for making Metal
Gate Mending Seats 3 weeks and 3 days 0 0 8 9

To Mr Gilbert Glover for Providing and laying
Glass in the Church Windows and other
Glass Necessary for the Church
Use in the Year 1720 — — — — — 0 0 12 00

To Mr John Corbridge for Mending the Church
Glass — — — — — — — — 3 1 1 10

To Timothy Adams Constable for the Rate
of Thomas Robbins not to be gotten
in the Year 1719 — — — — — — 0 0 4 08

To Nathaniel Fletcher for his Wifes Curing Geo Wise
and Mary Ann Lawrence — — — — — 0 1 00 00

To Elizabeth Pelham for Cleaning the Meeting House
from the 1st of May 1720 to the last of may 1721 0 10 0

To Lodge Pelham for Clerk for taking
Care of the Meeting House and Ringing the
Bell from the 1st of May 1720 to 0 1 00 0
may 1721

To Ensign William Fletcher for Laying
out Sundry highway Ways and making
Recompence — — — — — — — — 0 0 16 00

an Addition to the Last Rich[illegible]s for Building
the Porch which was miscast — — 0 0 07 00

Selectmen of the Town of Chelmsford put their Hands & Seals
aforesaid Dated at Chelmsford the 29 Day of March in
the Fourth Year of his Majesties Reign Annoque
Dominiy 1726

By Order of the Assessors of the Said Town

Benjamin Adams Town Clerk

This Assessment made by the Assessors of Chelmsford
the 15 Day of Novemr 1726 to Answer the County
Treasurer Warrant bearing Date Septemr the 20: 1726
For the Several Rates of Chelmsford

	Polls	Estate	Income Stock	
Benjamin Adams	00=08	00=06	00=03	00 01 05
Mary Adams	00=08	00=07	00=05	00 01 08
Thomas Adams	00=08	00=08	00=04	00 01 08
Timothy Adams	01=11	00=06	00=04	00 02 09
Nathan Adams	00=08	00=08	00=03	00 01 07
Samuel Adams	00=08	00=00	00=00	00 00 08
Joseph Adams	00=08	00=00	00=00	00 00 08
David Adams	00=08	00=00	00=00	00 00 08
B				
Jonathan Barron	00=08	00=11	00=08	00 02 03
Isaac Barron	00=08	00=07	00=03	00 01 06
Samuel Barron	00=08	00=06	00=03	00 01 05
Eli Burge	00=08	00=08	00=04	00 01 08
Josiah Burge	00=08	00=08	00=04	00 01 08
Uriah Burge	00=00	00=05	00=02	00 00 03
Henry Blandel	00=08	00=03	00=02	00 01 01
Moses Barret	01=03	00=08	00=06	00 02 05
David Bypely	00=08	00=02	00=00	00 00 10
Jacob Bottrid	00=08	00=01	00=01	00 00 10
Jonathan Barret	00=08	00=05	00=04	00 01 05
Jonathan Barret jun	00=08	00=02	00=04	00 01 16
Joseph Barret jun	01=03	00=03	00=02	00 01 18
Abraham Barron jun	00=08	00=04	00=02	00 01 02

	Polls	Estates	Income	Total £
Isaac Hitchcock jun	08 = 08	00 = 01	00 = 00	0 0 09
Lot Hitchcock	01 = 01	00 = 07	00 = 05	0 0 02 14
William Hayward	00 = 08	00 = 07	00 = 10	0 0 01 07
Josiah Hitchcock jun	00 = 08	00 = 05	00 = 02	0 0 01 03
Joseph Hitchcock jun	00 = 08	00 = 05	00 = 03	0 0 01 04
Ebenezer Hitchcock	00 = 08	00 = 04	00 = 10	0 0 01 01
Ephraim Hitchcock jun	00 = 08	00 = 02	00 = 02	0 0 01 00
H				
Moses Heyes sen	00 = 08	00 = 02	00 = 01	0 0 01 00 11
Moses Heyes jun	00 = 08	00 = 02	00 = 01	0 0 01 00 11
Ezekiel Heys	00 = 08	00 = 00	00 = 01	0 0 00 09
John Hooker sen	01 = 08	00 = 08	00 = 03	0 0 02 02
John Hooker jun	00 = 08	00 = 03	00 = 01	0 0 01 00
Thomas Hemp	00 = 08	00 = 03	00 = 02	0 0 01 03
Joseph Hemp	00 = 08	00 = 01	00 = 00	0 0 00 09
Thomas Hooker	00 = 08	00 = 05	00 = 02	0 0 01 03
M				
Jonathan Minot	00 = 08	00 — 05	00 = 02	0 0 01 03
P				
John Procter sen	00 = 08	00 = 10	00 = 01	0 0 02 00
John Procter jun	00 = 08	00 = 04	00 = 01	0 0 01 01
Peter Procter sen	01 = 03	00 = 07	00 = 05	0 0 02 03
Peter Procter jun	00 = 08	00 = 02	00 = 03	0 0 01 01
Gershom Procter	00 = 08	00 = 05	00 = 04	0 0 01 08
Benjamin Parker	01 = 03	00 = 07	00 = 04	0 0 02 02
Mary Parker	00 = 00	00 = 02	00 = 01	0 0 00 03
Samuel Parker	01 = 11	00 = 10	00 = 07	0 0 03 04
Ebenezer Parker	00 = 08	00 = 07	00 = 02	0 0 01 05
Jonathan Parker	00 = 08	00 = 05	00 = 02	0 0 01 03
Thomas Parker	00 = 08	00 = 05	00 = 02	0 0 01 03
Rufus Parker	00 = 08	00 = 03	00 = 00	0 0 00 11
Sarah Parker	00 = 08	00 = 05	00 = 00	0 0 01 01
R				
Caleb Rogers	00 = 08	00 = 11	00 = 06	0 0 02 13
John Read	00 = 08	00 = 06	00 = 03	0 0 01 05

	Poll	Estate	Trans. Tobacco
Benjamin Robbins	00=08	00=03	00=03 00 00 01 07
Thomas Robbins	00=08	00=05	00=02 00 00 01 01
Thomas Robbins jun	00=08	00=00	00=00 00 00 00 08
S.			
Susannah Spaulding	00=08	00=06	00=05 00 00 00 11
John Swallow	00=08	00=04	00=04 00 00 01 04
Sarah Swallow	00=00	00=03	00=02 00 00 00 05
Elizabeth Spaulding	00=00	00=07	00=03 00 00 00 10
Neh. Spaulding	01=03	00=08	00=04 00 02 03
Richard Sutton	01=03	00=07	00=04 00 02 02
Nathaniel Reed	01=08	00=03	00=02 00 01 01
U.			
Amos Underwood	00=08	00=05	00=00 00 00 01 01
Mary la Underwood	00=08	00=06	00=00 00 01 06
Joseph Underwood	00=00	00=01	00=00 00 00 01
W.			
Joseph Warren	02=08	01=10	00=04 00 03 11
Josiah Whitney	00=08	00=06	00=03 00 01 03
Joseph Wheeler	00=08	00=05	00=02 00 01 03
Jacob Warren	00=00	00=03	00=01 00 00 01
Ebenezer Wright	01=08	00=00	00=00 00 00 01
John Barret	00=08	00=01	00=00 00 00 00 09

Sum Total Errors Excepted: 06 05 01

Jonth Richardson
William Fletcher
Benj. Adams
} assessors

[illegible] Taking and recovery [illegible]
[illegible] recorded in the Court [illegible]
[illegible] to make Rates [illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible] Constables [illegible] Collectors [illegible] him or them
[illegible] unto the Common Gaol of [illegible] County there to
Remain until [illegible] Pay [illegible] Forfeiture [illegible]
[illegible] Costs [illegible] Charges [illegible]
[illegible] Warrant under the Hand & Seal
of the Peace the Same or any Part thereof be Levied
Dated at Chelmsford the [illegible] 29th 1720 in the Seventh
Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George over
Great Britain &c

Pay [illegible] Collectors [illegible]
[illegible] Hundred [illegible]

This Assessment Made by the Assessors of Chelmsford
the 15th Day of October 1720 To Answer the County
Treasurers Warrant bearing Date 29th October
1720 For the Poor Rate of Chelmsford

		Polls	Estates	Income	Total
Capt	Samuel Bowes	00=00	00=04	00=03 00	00=07
Capt	[illegible] Bowes	01=03	01=02	00=08 00	03=13
Lieut	Samuel Bowes	00=08	00=06	00=03 0 0	01=05
	[illegible] Bates Junr	00=00	00=02	00=02 0 0	00=04
	[illegible] Bates Junr	00=08	00=09	00=03 0 0	01=00
	William Bridget	01=03	00=09	00=03 0 0	02=03
	William Bridget Junr	00=08	00=04	00=03 0 0	01=03
	Samll Bridgett	00=00	00=02	00=02 0 0	00=04
	[illegible] Bridgett	00=00	00=00	00=00 0 0	00=00
	Jonathan Butterfield	00=08	00=05	00=06 0 0	02=00
	[illegible] Butterfield Junr	00=08	00=00	00=03 0 0	01=00
	David Bridget	00=08	00=03	00=03 0 0	01=02
	Jeremiah Bridget	00=08	00=01	00=00 0 0	00=09
	[illegible] Butterfield Junr	00=08	00=05	00=03 0 0	01=04
	[illegible] Butterfield	00=00	00=02	00=02 0 0	00=04
	[illegible] Bridget Junr	00=08	00=04	00=02 0 0	01=02

	Polls	Estate	Licens	Total
Thomas Bridgett junr	00=08	00=04	00=01	0 0 1 01
Nathaniel Butterfield	00=08	00=05	00=04	0 0 1 05
Thomas Bowdy	00=08	00=04	00=00	0 0 1 00
John Butterfield	00=08	00=03	00=02	0 0 1 03
Samuel Butterfield senr	00=08	00=05	00=03	0 0 1 04
Nathaniel Britton	00=08	00=02	00=00	0 0 1 10
C				
Jonas Clark	00=08	00=08	00=05	0 0 1 09
Silv Comings	00=08	00=11	00=04	0 0 1 11
D				
James Dutton	00=08	00=06	00=02	0 0 1 04
John Davise	01=03	00=02	00=01	0 0 1 06
F				
Assignee William Fletcher	01=08	01=04	00=04	0 0 3 02
William Fletcher junr	00=08	00=03	00=02	0 0 1 01
Sarah Fletcher	00=00	00=00	00=02	0 0 0 02
Joseph Fletcher	00=08	00=08	00=05	0 0 1 09
Paul Fletcher	00=08	00=07	00=03	0 0 1 06
Samuel Fletcher	01=08	00=05	00=03	0 0 2 04
Jonathan Fletcher	00=08	00=04	00=02	0 0 1 02
Jonas Fletcher	00=08	00=02	00=02	0 0 1 00
Samuel Frosler	00=00	00=05	00=02	0 0 0 07
Edward Frosler	00=08	00=05	00=03	0 0 1 04
Joseph Frosler	01=03	00=03	00=01	0 0 1 07
William Fletcher 4th	00=08	00=04	00=04	0 0 1 00
Samuel Fletcher senr	00=08	00=02	00=01	0 0 1 03
Sarni Fletcher Pauls	00=00	00=02	00=02	0 0 0 04
Josiah Fletcher	00=08	00=08	00=06	0 0 1 10
Ebenezer Fletcher	00=08	00=08	00=03	0 0 1 00
Ebenezer Frosler	00=08	00=08	00=05	0 0 1 09
Isaac Fletcher	00=08	00=03	00=02	0 0 1 01
G				
[illegible]	00=08	00=03	00=02	0 0 1 01

	Polls	Negroes	Income Total
[illegible]	oo=08	oo=oo	o=oo oo oo 08
[illegible]	oo=08	oo=oo	o=oo o o oo 08
Ephraim Howard	oo=08	oo=06	o=oo [illegible]
Benjamin Howard	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Joseph Keys	o1=03	=08	o=03 oo o2 02
Solomon Keys	1=08	=oo	oo=2o o [illegible]
Joseph Keys junr	oo=08	oo=06	oo=o2 o o o1 09
Henry Keys	oo=08	oo=oo	o=oo o o oo 08
[illegible]	oo=08	oo=08	oo=03 o o o1 07
[illegible]	oo=08	oo=oo	oo=oo 9 o oo 08
[illegible] Parker	1=03	o1=oo	=07 [illegible]
Isaac Parker	1=03	oo=06	oo=05 o o o2 02
Joseph Parker	oo=08	oo=06	oo=2o o o1 09
Benony Perham	oo=08	o1=o1	oo=08 o o o2 03
Mary Parker	oo=oo	oo=o2	oo=2oo o o o
Thomas Parker	o1=03	oo=08	oo=05 o o o2 02
[illegible] Parkhurst	o1=11	1=o1	oo=07 o o o3 [illegible]
Stephen Peirce	[illegible]=08	oo=06	o=2o o o1 02
[illegible] Peirce	[illegible]=08	[illegible]=03	oo=05 o [illegible]
John Perham	[illegible]	[illegible]=oo	=03 oo=oo oo oo [illegible]
Isaac Paine	oo=08	oo=oo	oo=oo o o o o [illegible]
[illegible] Richardson	1=11	o1=04	[illegible]=07 o o3 [illegible]
John Richardson	1=03	oo=07	oo=06 o o o2 02
[illegible] Richardson	1=03	1=04	oo=08 [illegible]
Robert Richardson	[illegible]	oo=07	[illegible]
[illegible] Richardson	[illegible]=03	oo=02	[illegible]
Thomas Reed junr	oo=08	oo=06	oo=04 o o o1 [illegible]

Disbursements for the year 1720

To Benjamin Adams for Runing the Line between Camden and the neck the			
year and Entered Line		00	06 00
to Ens. Knight for Runing the neck Line		00	03 00
to Jonathan Bowers for Runing the Line		00	03 00
to Capt Jonathan Bowers & Moses Parker for Runing Boundrie Line		00	06 00
To Capt Richard Smith Allowance to Runing the Line between Christopher Gutridge and Grafton		00	06 00
To Steven Peirce for ye 2d for being over Rated		00	04 10
To Mr. Prater for being over Rated		00	08 09
To Moses Spalding for being overRated		00	04 04
Making the Proving Bare			
To Mr Steven Peirce 3 Dayes and Halt		00	07 06
To Capt Jonathan Richardson 3 dayes		00	06 00
To Ensign Fletcher 2 Dayes		00	04 00
To Benjamin Adams 3 dayes and halt		00	07 00
To Capt Bowers one Day		00	02 00
To Benj: Adams for Runing the Lins and filling up the Cumming Corner		00	06 00
To Benj: Adams for Runing from Clark			
To Capt Jonathan Bowers laying out a Highway		00	01 00
To Benjamin Adams for Subsisting the Selectmen		00	04 00
To Ensign Fletcher for Entering ye Town		02	00 00
To John Keen for Entering a Caveat for Mooring Hay		00	03 00
To Edward Spalding Constable for warning Persons out of Town		00	04 00
To Jonathan Bowers for the Selectmens Expence for the year 1720		03	10 00
To Jonathan Bowers for Lamb Gard		00	05 00
[illegible]		05	17 [illegible]

March 28: 1724

Pitkin

To Samll Gott Rope for Hook [illegible]
regarding to the Court Order for the Line [illegible]
in Said Title

To Capt Jonathan Bowers for Time Expended to attain
a Schoolmaster ——— 0 0 05 00

To Lt Benjamin Adams for Discovering the Same
Presentment at Court for not having a Grammar Schoolmaster

To mr Stephen Peirce for Serving
att the General Court as Representative from
march the 25: 1724 to the 31 of the same with Ro 3 16 00
Travell ——— ——— ——— ———

To Benjamin Adams for Expenses [illegible]
and Time [illegible]
money to Adams Recovery of the Selectmen [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

To mr Stephen Peirce for his Service at the
Great and General Court of Assembly Beginning may
the 31: 1724 and Ended in May 21: following
10 [illegible] 00

To mr Joseph Phipple for Keeping Letters
from the 20 of June 1724 to the 22d
September following ——— ——— ——— 11 10 00

There is a mistake for mr Stephen Peirce order Should
be Settled to Pitkin-Pitkin for
and Likewise mr Phipple [illegible]

The Little Over Shillings as above mentioned which was
Charged to Benj Adams went of to pay the Cost
[illegible] Pitkin for Keeping of
Prisoners ———

To [illegible] for Samuel Gotts Expenses
in the [illegible] 2-9 Days at Pitkin 2[illegible]
[illegible] for Keeping
[illegible]

January the 1: 1720/21

[illegible] Complaint Comg [illegible] by the Selectmen
[illegible] Comitte Appointed [illegible] from Gideon Todd to
[illegible] Robbing [illegible]
[illegible] Todd [illegible] upon the Complaint
[illegible] to take [illegible] to Jail
to pay out away to Benjamin Robinson
[illegible] Judgment with all Little Charges
[illegible] Selectmen

Recd of the Selectmen
Recd: Stocking Town Cork

February the: 14: Day 1720/21: the Selectmen Reckoned with Ensign William Fletcher Town Treasurer for the years 1719: and: 1720: as to the Town Rates which was Committed to Fletcher for to Receive and pay out by the Selectmens Order and there was Due from the Treasurer to the Town the sum of — — 6 5 - 11
to Balance accompts

the Fourth Day 1721

[illegible]

[illegible] Pay [illegible] 1 11

[illegible] 1 [illegible] 1 0

[illegible] follows: That is to say

[illegible] Quarter [illegible]

[illegible] July following — — — — — — — 25 00 00

X [illegible] Stephen Peirce for his service att the [illegible] General Court or Assembly held [illegible] the 31 and Ended in July: 21st following — — 1 10 0

[illegible] Joseph Whipple for Keeping Schoole from the 20th of June 1721: to the 20th of Septemr following 11 10 0

[illegible] Stephen Peirce for his service att [illegible] General Court [illegible] Assembly held [illegible] sitting on the [illegible] Thursday [illegible] the last of which Days in all was to the Different [illegible] 0 [illegible]

10. [illegible] Reverend [illegible] [illegible] Hadley [illegible] 25 [illegible] 21 [illegible] 25 [illegible] 25 [illegible] 25 [illegible] 25 [illegible] 25

[illegible] following — — 25

[illegible]

Selectmen
1 Benjamin Lane
2 Edward Spaulding
3 John Richardson
4 [illegible]
5 Ephraim Hildreth

Town Clerk
Benjamin Lane

Constables
Josiah Read
John Parker

Town Treasurer
Capt Jonathan Richardson

Grand Jury
Samuel Richardson.
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Tything men
Benjamin Barrett
Ebenezer Foster
Paul Fletcher
Robert Spaulding

Surveyors
William Fletcher
James Hildreth
[illegible]
Thomas Read
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
Daniel [illegible]
[illegible]

Josiah Lovejoy
Nathaniel Harwood

[illegible] Road above mentioned

[illegible] Paul [illegible]

To Benjamin Adams for engrossing the grand presentment at Court for the Town's not having a Grammar Scole master —— —— 0 0s 0 0d

At a Genaral Town meeting of the Freeholders & other Inhabitants of the Town of Cambridge Regularly Warned & met May the 23: 1721

Mr Jeremiah Peirce Moderator of the Meeting

Voted That Mr Stephen Peirce be Representative for the Ensuing Year

Voted That the Petition of Benjamin Robbins & others Dated June 22: 1720 Inhabitants of Cambridge Praying Leave to Build a Small Bridge & Causey for the Conveniency of the Inhabitants of the Town to Acquire the Meeting House & Burying Place & Ministerial Land & Passing over the Mill Creek & Marshes Adjoining Thereto as by the Petition on File may more fully appear Voted to Grant the Request of the Petitioners

Voted to Choose a Committee to Draw Up Reasons to Shew to the Honble the Great & General Court why the Prayer of the Petitioners should not be granted

Voted That a Committee of Benjamin Adams Esqr & Mr John Richardson & Mr William Fletcher

Voted That the Petition in behalf of the Town given the Reasons as [illegible]

At a Generall Town Meeting of the
Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town
of Chelmsford Regularly Assembled on August
the Tenth Day 1721

Voted that Mr Stephen peirce be Moderator for the meeting

At a Generall Town meeting of the Freeholders
and other Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford
Regularly Assembled on September the: 6: 1721

Voted that Mr Benj: Adams be Moderator for the
meeting

Voted that the Town would Receive there Proportion
of the fifty Pounds Granted by the Gen: Court
to be Raised by the Town
to Extend no further five Years to any person
whatsoever

Voted to finish all the other Business Resting in the
hands of the Trustees by hand Vote

Voted that
shall
Provided
Mr Adams
might be
the Trustees
Chelmsfords proportion of the
Lett annually att five percent
Trustees for the
fifth part of the
arising on
town Bills
from the
that afore
in the
and
parts of the above
Town proportion

over to the

This following Rate made by the Select-men of Concord the 10: Day of April 1721 to Lyay the Necessary Charges arising within the Town

	Polls	estates	Income	Total
	s d	s d	£ s d	£ s d
It Benjamin Adams	7 = 06	07 = 03	03 = 00	00 = 17 00
mrs Mary Adams	7 = 06	05 = 06	05 = 00	00 = 18 00
Thomas Adams	07 = 06	07 = 06	04 = 00	00 = 19 00
Timothy Adams	1 = 2 = 0	06 = 00	03 = 06	00 = 12 00
Peter[illegible] Adams	7 = 06	07 = 09	03 = 00	00 = 18 00
Capt Adams	7 = 06	02 = 00	00 = 00	00 = 09 00
Jonathan Barret	7 = 06	08 = 03	07 = 06	00 = 17 03
Isaac Barret	07 = 06	06 = 00	02 = 06	00 = 16 00
Samuel Barret	07 = 06	06 = 00	03 = 00	00 = 16 00
John Burage	07 = 06	07 = 06	04 = 00	00 = 19 00
Tryall Burage	00 = 00	00 = 09	02 = 00	00 = 02 00
Josiah Burage	07 = 06	06 = 03	04 = 00	00 = 17 09
Wch Henry Blanchell	07 = 06	02 = 06	01 = 06	00 = 11 00
Mr Barret	15 = 00	07 = 03	06 = 00	01 = 08 03
David Bixby	07 = 06	01 = 09	00 = 00	00 = 09 03
Jacob Butterfield	07 = 06	01 = 00	01 = 00	00 = 09 06
Jonathan Barret 03	07 = 06	03 = 03	03 = 06	00 = 14 00
Jonathan Barret jun	07 = 06	06 = 09	03 = 06	00 = 17 09
Capt Barret jun	15 = 00	02 = 06	01 = 06	00 = 09 00
Abraham Bryam 01	07 = 06	00 = 00	00 = 00	00 = 07 06
Abraham Bryam jun	07 = 06	03 = 06	00 = 02	00 = 13 00
Isaac Bryam	07 = 06	01 = 03	02 = 00	00 = 13 09
Jacob Bryam	07 = 06	04 = 09	02 = 00	00 = 14 03
Ebenezer Butterfield	07 = 06	07 = 09	03 = 00	00 = 18 03
[illegible]	07 = 06	05 = 03	03 = 00	00 = 15 09
Joseph Butterfield	5 = 00	01 = 03	00 = 06	00 = 07 09
[illegible]	07 = 06	00 = 00	05 = 09	00 = 13 03
[illegible] Barret	02 = 06	01 = 11	00 = 08	00 = 04 01
Edward Bates	07 = 06	03 = 09	03 = 00	00 = 14 03
[illegible]	7 = [illegible]	00 = 00	00 = 00	00 = 08 06

	Poll	State	Fire	Total				
	£	d	s	d	s	d	£	s	d
Benjamin Chamberlin	07	06	04	06	02	06	0	0	14	06
Thomas Chamberlin	07	06	06	09	01	0	0	0	14	03
Samuel Chamberlin	15	00	06	06	03	00	0	1	05	00
Joseph Chamberlin	07	06	02	00	01	00	0	0	06	02
Ebenezer Crouch	07	06	05	00	00	06	0	0	14	00
John Cory	00	00	01	06	00	00	0	0	01	06
John Cory junr	15	00	04	00	02	06	0	1	01	06
Josiah Cory	07	06	01	00	00	00	0	0	08	06
Ephraim Chandler	04	06	00	00	00	00	0	0	04	06
	07	06	01	09	01	09	0	0	10	03
D										
Zachariah Emery	07	06	05	03	01	06	0	0	14	03
E										
Joshua Fletcher	05	00	05	00	02	04	0	0	12	04
Caleb Foster	07	06	04	06	03	00	0	0	15	00
Edward Foster	07	06	05	00	02	06	0	0	15	00
Jedh Foster	00	00	01	02	01	00	0	0	02	02
Moses Foster	07	06	01	09	01	06	0	0	10	09
Elias Foster	07	06	02	06	01	00	0	0	11	00
John Foster	07	06	01	00	01	00	0	0	09	06
F										
Richard Gickie	15	00	05	03	02	00	0	1	02	03
G										
Ephraim Hildreth	15	00	11	03	07	06	0	1	13	09
Isaac Hildreth	07	06	01	09	02	06	00	11	07	
Isaac Hildreth junr	07	06	00	09	00	00	0	0	08	03
Richard Hildreth	01	02	06	07	09	04	06	0	1	19	09
Nathaniel Harwood	07	06	07	00	03	00	0	0	18	00
Josiah Hildreth Senr	02	06	00	10	00	08	0	0	04	00
Josiah Hildreth junr	07	06	05	09	02	06	0	0	15	09
Ebenezer Hildreth	07	06	03	09	01	00	0	0	12	03
Ephraim Hildreth junr	04	06	01	09	02	00	0	0	08	00
James Hildreth	07	06	01	06	00	00	0	0	09	00
H										

	Poll		Estates		Income		Total		
	£	s	d	s	d	£	s	d	
Moses Keys Senr									
Moses Keys junr									
Isaac Keys									
Isaac Keys									
Isaac Keys junr									
James Keys									
James Keys									
Jonathan Keys									
Jonathan Mitch									
Isaac Porter									
Isaac Porter junr									
Peter Procter									
Peter Procter junr									
Jonathan Porter									
Benjamin Parker									
Mark Parker									
Samuel Procter									
Ebenezer Parker									
Jonathan Procter									
Nathan Procter									
Aaron Procter									
Isaac Reid									
Isaac Reed									
Benjamin Robbins									
Thomas Robbins									
Thomas Robbins junr									
Jonah Spaulding									
Ichabod Spaulding									
Jonah Spaulding									
Jonathan Spaulding									
Isaac Spaulding									
Richard Stevens									
Jonathan Stevens									
Thomas Stevens									

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	Polls	Estates	Prince	Total
	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
Samuel Underwood	07 = 06	00 = 0	00 =	00 00 08 06
Alquilla Underwood	07 = 06	09 = 06	05 =	00 01 02 00
Joseph Underwood	07 = 06	08 = 0004	=	06 01 00 00
Joseph Purrin	01 = 10	= 008 = 09	07 =	00 02 05 09
Josiah Phinney	07 = 06	1 = 08	01 =	00 00 05 12
Jeph Phinney	07 = 06	01 = 06	01 =	00 00 13 00
Jacob Morris	07 = 06	12 = 03	01 =	00 00 10 09
Ebenezer Wright	07 = 06	05 = 09	02 =	00 06 00 15 09
James Holden	07 = 06	00 = 00	00 =	00 00 07 06
			Sum Total Errors Excepted	77 07 06

Ephraim Tilden
John Richardson
Benj Adams
} Select men of Pelham

Middlesex: ss. To the Constable or Constables of the Town of Pelham within the County of Middlesex and Province Greeting

In His Majestys Name you are Required to Levy and Collect of the several persons named in the List hereunto Committed unto you each one his Respective Proportion of the Sum Total of the same Total set Down as a Tax or Assessment granted and Agreed upon by the Inhabitants of the Town of Pelham Regularly Assembled on the Nineteenth Day of January 1742-3 for defraying the necessary Charges arising within the same and to deliver and pay in the Sum and Sums which you shall so Levy and Collect unto Capt Jonathan Tilden Treasurer of the said Town on or before the Tenth Day of March next ensuing the Date hereof and for your Neglect or Refuse to make payment of the same or any part thereof you are hereby required

such person or persons and to the Value thereof in the Distress and Distresses taken by the aforesaid Warrant and if the Charges of the same and if the Owner do not pay the Sum or Sums of money soe assessed upon him within Six Days after the Distress or Distresses soe taken you are to Expose and openly sell and dispose of the same or such part thereof as will satisfie the money and Charges Aforesaid and for want of such Sale and Disposall upon any particular place within the Town thereof in any Publick Road and the overplus if any be being first deducted the Charges of the Taking and Keeping the said Distress and Distresses to be immediately Restored unto the owner and for want of Goods or Chattles whereon to make Distress you are to Seize the Body or Bodies of the Person or Persons soe Refusing and him or them Commit unto the Common Goal of the County there to Remain untill he or they pay and satisfie the several summes soe assessed as aforesaid or untill he or they are Respectively Discharged as aforesaid upon Application made to the Court of General Sessions of the peace the same or any part thereof shall be Granted Hereof all Constables and Collectors of the Rates and Assessments for the Town of Rehoboth are not to fail at your Perills Given under my hand and Seal the 12 Day of May in the Seventh year of his Majestys Reign Anno Domini 1721

Benj: Adams Town Clerk

May the 13: 1721: Committed to Timothy Hunt Constable the Within mentioned Warrant Togather with the Sum Totall being — 14 07 0

This following Assessment made by the Selectmen of Chelmsford this Tenth Day of April A.D. 1721 for the Necessary Charges arising with the Town for the Year

	Polls £	s	d	Estates s	d	Income £	s	d	Totall £	s	d
Capt Jerahmeel Bowers	07=06	03=03		03=00		00	13	03			
Capt Jonathan Bowers	07=06	00=00		04=00		00	11	06			
Capt Hezekiah Butler	07=06	05=03		04=00		00	16	09			
Jerahmeel Bowers jun[r]	07=06	06=00		02=06		00	16	00			
John Bates sen[r]	07=06	02=03		02=00		00	11	06			
John Bates jun[r]	07=06	08=09		06=00		01	02	03			
Deacon William Proget	15=00	08=00		04=06		01	05	06			
William Proget junr	07=06	03=00		02=00		00	12	06			
Sarah Butterfield	00=00	01=06		01=06		00	03	06			
Nathaniel Butterfield	07=06	00=00		00=00		00	07	06			
Jonathan Butterfield junr	07=06	07=09		06=00		01	00	09			
Samuel Butterfield junr	07=06	05=09		03=00		00	16	03			
Daniel Proget	07=06	03=3		03=00		00	13	06			
Benjamin Proget	07=06	00=00		00=00		00	07	06			
Jonathan Butterfield sen[r]	07=06	05=00		03=00		00	13	06			
Lidia Butterfield	00=00	02=00		02=00		00	04	00			
Thomas Proget sen[r]	07=06	00=00		00=00		00	07	06			
Thomas Proget junr	07=06	01=09		01=00		00	09	03			
Nathaniel Butterfield junr	07=06	04=09		03=06		00	15	09			
Samuel Ingers	07=00	03=09		00=00		00	11	03			
John Butterfield	07=00	05=00		02=00		00	14	00			
Samuel Butterfield junr	15=00	05=03		03=00		01	03	03			
Nathaniel Boynton	15=00	01=09		00=00		00	16	09			
Jonas Clark	15=00	08=06		05=00		01	08	06			
John Jennings	07=00	09=03		04=00		00	20	03			
James Sutton	07=00	04=06		02=00		00	13	06			
John Davis	05=00	02=03		01=06		00	08	09			
William Fletcher	15=00	15=09		06=00		01	16	09			
William Fletcher junr	07=00	02=06		01=06		00	10	06			
Sarah Fletcher	00=00	00=00		01=06		00	01	06			
Joseph Fletcher	07=06	07=04		04=06		00	19	04			
Paul Fletcher	07=06	06=09		03=00		00	17	03			
Samuel Fletcher junr	07=06	04=09		03=00		00	15	03			
Jonathan Fletcher	00=00	00=00		00=00		00	00	00			
Daniel Fletcher	07=06	05=00		03=00		00	15	06			
Samuel Fletcher	07=00	02=03		02=00		00	11	03			
Joseph Fletcher	15=00	01=00		01=00		00	17	00			

	Polls		Estates		Income		Total	
	s	d	s	d	s	d	£	d
Margret Spalding	00	06	01	06	01	00	00	02
Ebenezer Spalding	07	06	02	06	03	00	00	13
Hannah Spalding	00	00	02	03	01	00	00	06
John Spalding Jun.	07	00	02	03	02	00	00	11
Timothy Spalding	15	00	02	03	04	00	01	05
Joseph Spalding	07	06	05	06	05	00	00	18
Chr. Stevens	15	00	04	00	03	00	01	02
Richard Stevens	07	06	05	06	01	00	00	14
Richard Stritten	07	06	03	00	01	00	00	11
Edward Spaulding	01	02	06	08	06	00	01	15
Andrew Spalding	01	02	06	10	03	00	01	16
John Wright	07	06	[illegible]			00	15	09
Jacob Wright	07	06	00	09	00	00	08	03
Henry Wright	07	06	00	00	00	00	07	06
Samuel Woods	07	06	00	09	00	00	08	03
Ebenezer Townsend	07	06	01	06	00	00	09	03
Chr. Bates	07	06	01	06	00	00	07	06

Sum Total all £1 13 04
Errors Excepted

Ebenezer Brush
John Richardson
Benj Adams
Selectmen of Chelmsford

To the Constable or Constables of the Town of Chelmsford within the County of Middlesex and Every of them greeting.

In His Majesties Name you are Required to Levy and Collect of the several persons Named in the List herewith Committed unto you Each one his Respective Proportion there in set down of the Sum Total of such List being as Taxt or Assessment granted and agreed upon by the Inhabitants of s[illegible] Town Regularly Assembled on March the 1st Day 1720/21 for Repairing the Necessary Changes [illegible] Town House and to Defray and Discharge [illegible] Hall so Levey and Collect unto [illegible] and Deliver unto [illegible] and to Compleat and Return the Same to the Treasurer of the Town and to Compleat [illegible] take up an Account of your [illegible]

[illegible] ...m all one or before the Tenth Day of [illegible]
[illegible] ...ing the Same Proof And to any Person
[illegible] ...Same Neglect or Refuse to make Payment of the Sum
[illegible] ...in whereof he or they are Respectively ...ain
[illegible] ...made in the Said Warrant mentioned the Goods or Chattles of ...
...sons so refusing to the Value thereof and the Like
...Charges to be taken & Kept by the Space of Four Days
...at the Cost and Charge of the owner Who if he owner
...or any the Owners of Money & Disbursed upon
...Same within the Said Four Days Shall & Shall not
...Claim you are to Expose and Openly Sell the Said
...Goods so Distrained for the Money and Payments of the
...Charges Notice of such Sale being first given in
...some Publick Place within the Said Town Twenty four
...hours before and the Overplus (Cost Charges by the
...Said Warrant be Duly Deducted and Allowed mentioned and the Charges of Taking of the Distress and
...Sale immediately rendered to the owner and for want
...of such Goods or Chattles whereon to make Distress
...you are to Seize the Body or Bodies of Such Person
...or Persons So refusing and him or them Committ unto
...Common Goal of the Said County there to Remain
...till he or they pay the said Duties the Arrear and
...Charges Respectively Arising and Accruing
...aforesaid unless upon Application made to the Court
...of General Quarter Sessions the same or any part thereof
...be Remitted Given at Salem the 12 Day of
...May in the Seventh Year of His Majesties Reign
...Annoque Domini 1721

Benj: Adams
Town Clerk

May the 13: Day There was Committed to Stertan
prison [illegible] the above written Execution
[illegible] ...Constable being — — — 11 13 4

	Polls	Estate	Income
Benjamin Adams	02=06	02=04	00=00
Mary Adams	02=06	02=09	01=08
Thomas Adams	02=06	02=05	01=04
Timothy Adams	01=06	02=02	00=02
Pelatiah Adams	02=06	02=07	00=00
Joseph Adams	02=06	00=11	00=00
B			
Jonathan Barron	02=06	02=07	02=06
Luke Barron	02=06	01=[illegible]	00=10
Samuel Barron	02=06	02=04	01=00
John Burge	02=06	02=10	01=04
Thall Burge	00=00	00=03	00=[illegible]
[illegible] Burge	02=06	02=01	01=04
Henry Blasdle	02=06	01=10	00=10
[illegible] Barret	[illegible]	02=06	02=[illegible]
David Byscly	02=06	00=07	00=[illegible]
[illegible] Butterfield	02=06	00=[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Barret	02=06	01=01	00=02
Jonathan Barret junr	02=06	02=00	01=02
Joseph Barret junr	05=00	01=10	00=06
Abraham Byam	02=06	01=02	00=08
[illegible] Byam	02=06	01=06	00=08
Jacob Byam	02=06	01=08	00=08
Elizabeth Butterfield	02=06	02=06	[illegible]
James Bun	02=06	02=01	[illegible]
[illegible] Barrett	05=00	01=08	[illegible]
Joseph Barret junr	02=06	01=11	[illegible]
Josiah Barret	02=06	00=11	[illegible]
Edward Bates	02=06	01=03	[illegible]
C			
Benjamin Chamberlin	02=06	01=06	00=10
Thomas Chamberlin	00=00	02=02	[illegible]
Samuel Chamberlin	05=00	02=02	[illegible]
Samuel Chamberlin 2d jun	02=06	02=09	[illegible]
Joseph Chamberlin	00=00	01=[illegible]	[illegible]
Elizabeth Cram[illegible]	[illegible]	00=03	[illegible]
[illegible]	05=00	01=05	[illegible]
John Cory junr	02=06	00=04	[illegible]
Josiah Cary	02=06	00=00	[illegible]

	Polls	Estates	Income	Total
	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
Ephraim Chandler	02 = 06	00 = 00	00 = 04	00 02 10
[illegible]	02 = 06	00 = 00	00 = 00	00 02 06
Zacharia? Emerson	02 = 06	02 = 00	00 = 06	00 05 00
Joshua Fletcher	[illegible]	04 = 05	02 = 04	00 11 [illegible]
[illegible]	02 = 06	01 = 08	1 = 00	00 [illegible]
Edward Foster	02 = 06	01 = 08	00 = 06	00 04 08
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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	Samuel Parker	3 = 00	3 = 00	2 = 10	13	07
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	Aaron Parker	2 = 16	01 = 08	00 = 08	04	10
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Capt	[illegible] Butler	02 = 06	01 = 01	01 = 04	00 = 11
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Sarah Fletcher
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Paul Fletcher
Samuel Fletcher jun^r
Jonathan Fletcher
James Fletcher
Samuel Foster
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William Fletcher jun^r
Samuel Fletcher jun^r
Sarah Fletcher
Josiah Fletcher
Ebenezer Fletcher
Ebenezer Foster
Isaac Fletcher

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Moses Greeves
Moses Good

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Jonathan Howard
Benjamin Howard
Ebenezer Harris

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Joseph Keyes
Joseph Keyes jun^r
Solomon Keyes
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William Longley
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John Thurston		
Benj. Adams		
William Fletcher		
Ebenezer Stevens		

September the: 28: 1721

Committee & Constable Timothy Stow's Warrant Rate
the Sum totall thereof being — — — — — 26 13 1

on the Estate Committed to Stephen Peirce Collector
a Province Rate the Sum totall thereof being — 22

The above mentioned Rate Committed to
Stephen Peirce the persons above mentioned
which Stephen Peirce is by the Selectmen to
pay in to the Town Treasurer for the Towns Use

July the: 15: 1723 the Selectmens
agreed with Clement Foster to Clean the
meeting-house and Ring the Bell for one
year from the Date hereof and to have
for his Reward — — — — — 02 05 : 0

July the: 15 1723 At a meeting of ye
Selectmen they agreed with Mr Joseph
Whipple to be the Town Scholl master
untill the first of March next ensuing
and the sd Mr Whipple is to have fifteen
pounds for his Reward: and all the
Children that
Children that Learn at the Rates above agreed
with Mr Whipple to keep Scholl in the
Town — from the first of the ensuing
untill the Annuall Town meeting in
March next for the Choice of Town officers
and Mr Whipple is to have eleven pounds
more for Tilling a Quarter and Emprov-
tion for a Lot — — — — 11 : 0 : 0
and Liberty for Mr Whipple is to Circulate
to Town Vote

Assembled on Tue: 7th Day 5th March 1721/2

Voted That the Select Men Chosen to serve the Town this present Year

Voted That Five Selectmen Chosen to serve the Town this present Year

Voted That Josiah Fletcher be the Town Treasurer this present Year

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Voted That Mr Samuel Burrell be the Town Treasurer this present Year

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Voted That Mr Samuel Burrell

That Josiah Fletcher Esqr, Presiding Justice
Brewer & four Assist Lays Justs & Select Men
Jurors for this present Year

That John Buttolph Samuel Prince & William Flagg
Jonathan Pearce junr for the Spalding and Emerson
Park Court the Fields-Drivers of Fences this present Year

That Joseph Parker John Buttolph Nathaniel Putnam and
Edward Bates James Hibbert & Peter Procter Junr Viewers
of Fences this Present Year

That the Select men & Assessors
Some Six Single Rates for Repairing the Highways
arising within the same

That Samuel Gould Esqr have Nine pounds
for his Subsistance to be paid out of the Town Treasury until
such time as the Town shall make it up by a

That the Constable
to repair at the meeting Hous
any warrant any further Warning
Law is, is by Law Required to strike a Fine
granting such a sum or sums
Annual Training Cloaths with

That the Schools
in the Northerly part of the Town according
Hall, the West and Eastward

March: 6: 1721/2 Mr Benjamin Adams was
Mr Timothy Ruggles was
Mr Phinehas Upham
Esqr Elected Moderator

The Office of Surveyors

Chelmsford

March 12: 1721/2 all the ordinary [illegible]
which is agreed upon given for the [illegible]
unto Mr Rice for the office (Capt Thomas Parker
& Mr Leonard Hastings [illegible] Deputy
Sheriffs [illegible]) for the [illegible]
of the Court [illegible]

[illegible] Mr Robert Richardson [illegible]
the oath to his office [illegible]

[illegible] the clerk [illegible]
Respective [illegible]

[illegible] Mr Josiah Fletcher was sworn to the
office of a Town Sherjuer

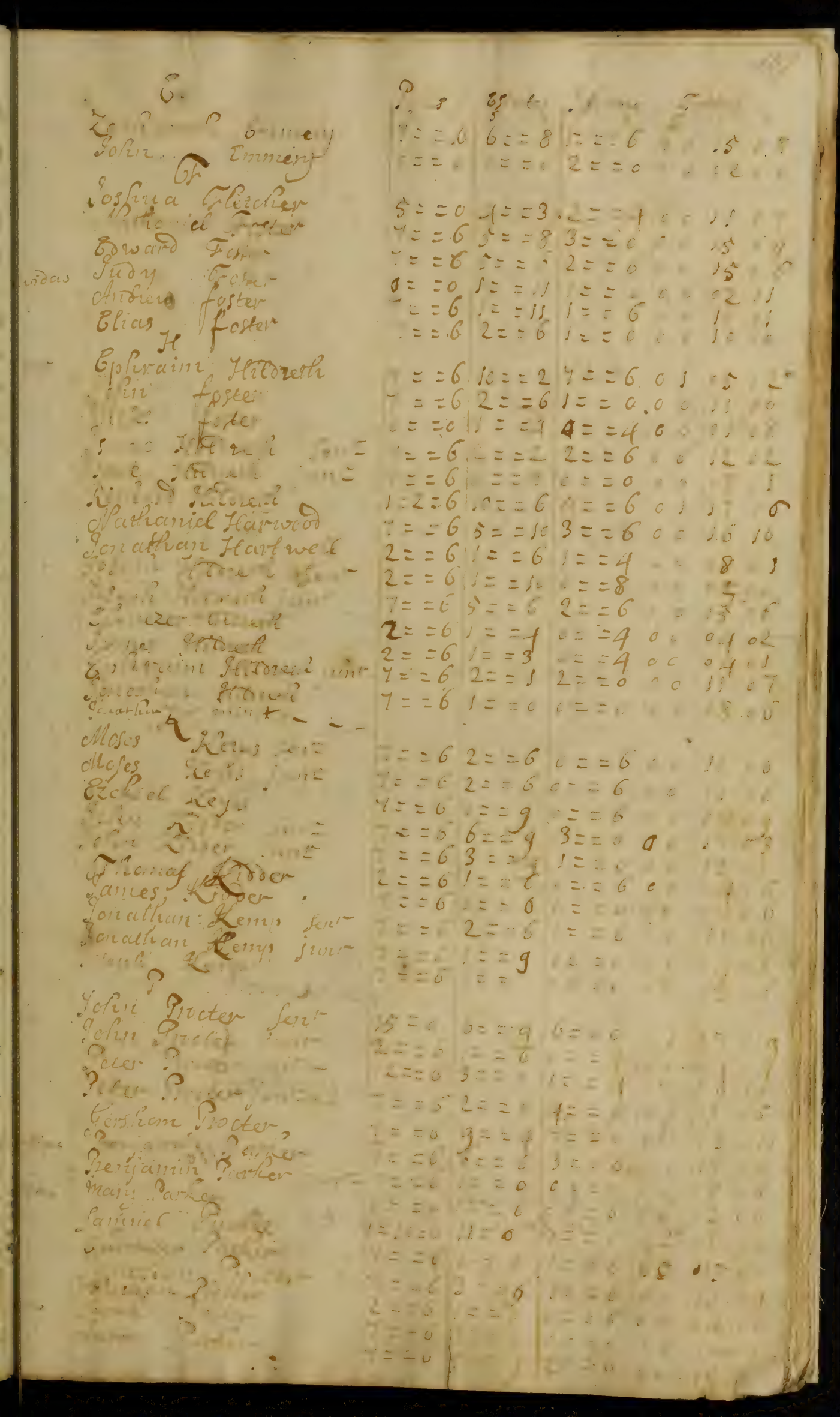
[illegible] at [illegible] of the Court
[illegible] by a major vote Robt Peales sworn was
[illegible] for the Town

[illegible] the next or ensuing
[illegible] to give a Lecture to the people
[illegible] Mr Mary Lambert Leave of the Selectmen
[illegible] Chelmsford

Mar: 2: 23: 1722 It is Ordered to the Selectmen
[illegible] the Lecture [illegible]
[illegible] the [illegible]
[illegible] Benj. Adams Town Clerk

May the 25: 1722 Thomas Parker and Robert
Zachariah Read was sworn to office of a Surveyor

This following Assessment was made by the Select



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	Squilla Underwood	7 = 6	8 = 0	7 = 3	0	0	02 09
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	Henry Durkee	7 = 6	1 = [illegible]	[illegible]			

Errors Excepted
Jabez Cummings

Richmond
April the 2
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[illegible]
gather the same

Middx ss. To the Constable or Constables of the T.
of Chelmsford within the County of Middx and Every of
Greeting

In His Majs name you are Required to Levy
the Several persons charged in the List herewith Comm[itted]
you each one his pro[portion]
Sum totall of Such List being a Tax or Assessment ag[reed]
and agreed upon by the Inhabitants of the Said town
within the Same and to Deliver and pay in the
which you Shall So Levy and Collect Unto our
the Rt Hon[ble] or to his Successor in the
Comittee and make up an account
whole Sum at on or before the first
being the Date hereof And in Case any
refuse to make payment of the Sum or Sums whereat
they are Respectively Assessed and Set down in the
-tein the Goods or Chattles of Such person or persons to the val[ue]
to the Sum or
Space of four Days
Sum within the Sd four Days then
distresses So taken you are to Expose and
Sale being
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or Sums of M[oney]
remain distrecss
them Comm[itted] unto the
to Remain untill he or the
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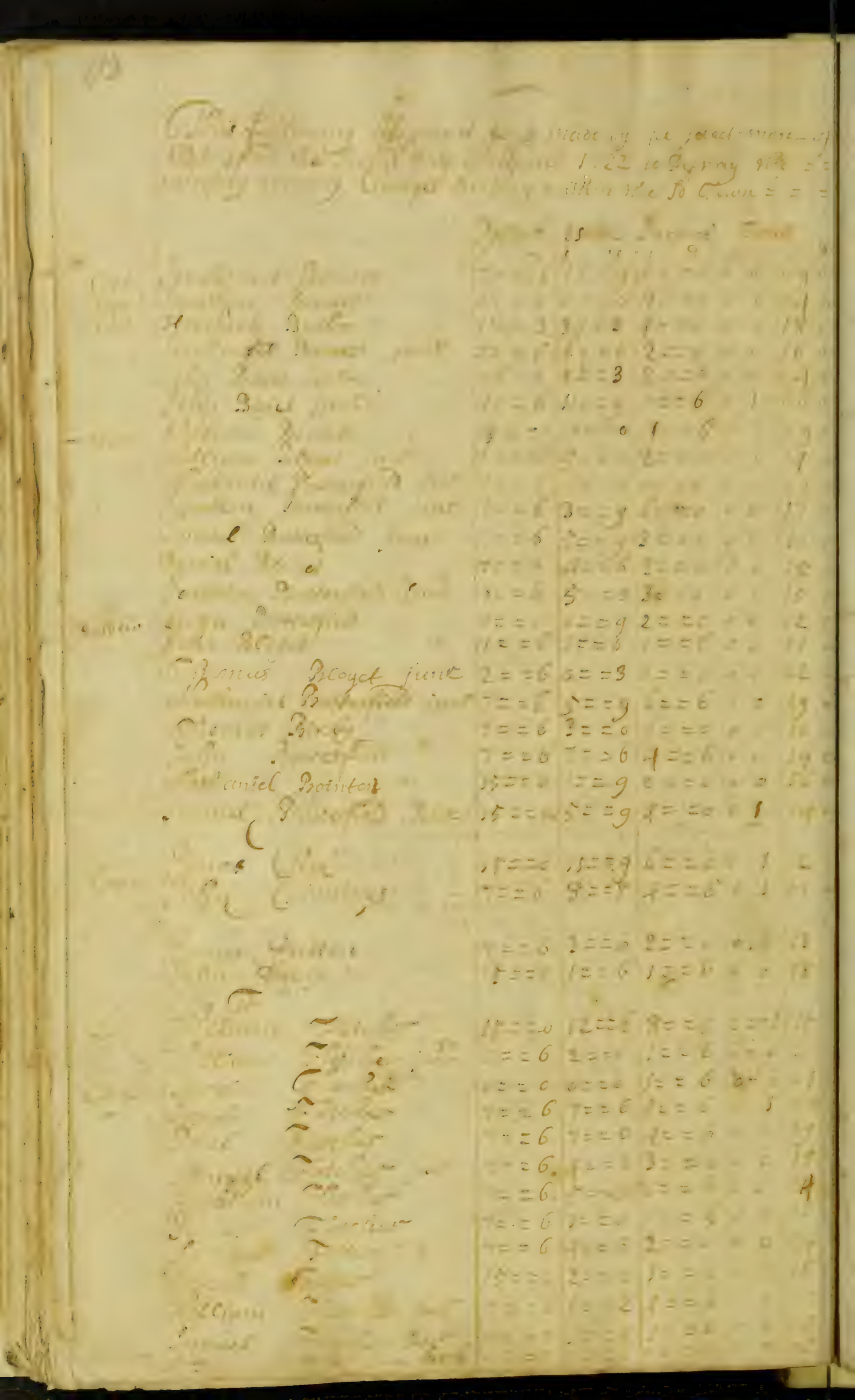
unless upon Application made to the Court of General
Dated at Chelmsford the Second Day
1722



Josiah Fletcher
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Henry Keyes

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John Parker
Joseph Parker
Benjamin Perham
Mary Parker
Thomas Parker
Ebenezer Parkhurst
Stephen Peirce
Stephen Peirce junr
Peirce
John Peters

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Jonathan Richardson
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Robert Richardson
Zachariah Richards
Thomas Read
William Read
Jonathan Reed
John Robie

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Margret Spaulding
Ebenezer Spaulding
Timothy Spaulding
Spaulding

of Chelmsford
them Greeting

Bodies of the person or persons so refusing and

Dated at

Rey. Adams Town Clk
of Chelmsford

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All [illegible] General Town Meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town of [illegible] Regularly Warned on May the 15th 1722

Voted That Mr Nathan Prince Jun. be Moderator for the Present Meeting

Voted That the Electors in this Town are Impowered to Depute their Representative next being Chosen by the Freeholders Either in prosecuting the Appeal of [illegible] Lately Returned who Acted as Agent for the Electors of this Town Last Session upon Account of Colonel [illegible] Claim to the said Township of Ipswich or in Agreeing with Him for his Service and Commission

Voted That the Select Men be Impowered to Receive the Year Ensuing

Voted and Confirmed at the General Assembly Held at Boston May 28th 1722 for Five years

Voted Notwithstanding the Laws of the Province for the Receiving Strangers from Dwelling in this Town become Vagabonds and Persons of Ill Fame: many Persons Live & Dwell in this Town for Gain Lucre or Some private Respect to the Town Contrary to Law Therefore Ordered that the Constables of this Town Do Forthwith Warn all Such Persons to Depart out of this Town and Forbear coming into the Same for the future as they will Answer the Contrary at their Peril and Hereby Impowered Constables and Every Constable of this Town is Hereby Impowered and Required to Execute this Order as he will Answer the Contrary at his Peril

Voted That Every Person Inhabiting within this Town from and after the first Day of July 1722 Any Freeholder or other Person Inhabiting within the Town of Ipswich Shall Entertain any Stranger Inmate or Sojourner Dwelling Tenant or Lodger at his Own or their House for the Space of Three Days without giving Notice thereof to the Select Men or to One of them or to the Constable or Constables of the Town or they Shall forfeit and pay the Sum of Twenty Shillings for Every Such Offence before any one Justice of the Peace of this Court of Record within this County Shall pay or cause to be paid unto the Treasurer of this Town for the Use of the Poor thereof the Sum of Three Pounds for Every Week that Such Person Shall Dwell or Sojourn within this Town after the Expiration of the Time Limited by this Order

Voted That the Select Men of this Town or the Major Part of them be Impowered to Call Meetings of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of this Town when they Shall See Cause

May 15th 1722

May the: 25: 1722
At a Meeting of the Select men and Constables
Ebenezer Spalding was Chosen Sealer

May the 25: 1722 Ebenezer Spalding was Sworne before
the Select men to the Office of a Sealer

June the: 4: 1722 The Select men Decle that Benjamin
Adams might have Liberty to agree with the Selectmen of
Concord Concerning Mary Lambert on these following Terms
Viz That if Concord will Releive Her or Which may Be Cast
upon Chelmsford at the Inferior Court of Sessions to be
on the Second Tuesday of April Next Then they will Receive
her as an Inhabitant

Entred June: 4: 1722 pr Benj. Adams Town Clerk

June the 4: 1722.

Then Received of Mr Benjamin Adams one of the Select-
men of Chelmsford full Satisfaction for Cost of the Last
Court of Generall Sessions of the peace Then held at Concord
& the Charge & Trouble of Attendance relating to Mary
Lambert: Received by us Selectmen of Concord

Benjamin Williams
John Fletcher
James Prescott
John Hosmer
Samll Heywood

Entred June the: 5: 1722
pr Benj. Adams Town Clerk

June the: 25: 1722
Then the Selectmen agreed with Hugh Brown to Erect
the Meeting House for the Year for which the Sd Brown
is to have — — — — — — — — — — 0 l 10 00

June the 25: 1722
The Selectmen Sett to Mr Cummings all
the Marshable Meadow which was at last
Meadow and was formerly given to the Ministry
which Meadow is Sett for one year and
Mr Cumings is to pay the Select men five Shill
for the Town use

The Selectmen agreed with Mr Cumings
to keep a Grammar School in Chelmsford to
Begin the: 25: 1722 one quarter of a year
the Sd Mr Cumings is to have — — 10 00

At a Generall Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town of Reading Regularly Assembled Nov.r 24. 1722

Voted That Mr Stephen Peirce be Moderator for this meeting

Voted Mr Benjamin Brown Timothy Spalding & Joseph Robbins & the Constable be a Comittee to view the Land Lying on the East side of the Road Leading from the Meeting house to Lynn & make Return of their Doings therein to the Town at their next Meeting

Voted That John Caines Timothy Spalding & Joseph Spalding & Comittee be joyned with the Selectmen Comittee for to Review the Bounds of the Several pieces of Meadow formerly granted to the Ministry Lott to get it Ingrossed in the Last Perticulers granted for a Meeting that there be some Peices of Land Taken in to Meadow to make it more Convenient for Feeding & the Carrying it off by Land: and to Comitte to make Return of their Doings therein - - - - - - - -

At a Generall Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town of Reading Regularly Assembled Novemb.r the 2.d 1722

Voted to Chuse a Moderator by Nomination & Paper Vote

Voted That Mr Stephen Peirce be Moderator for this meeting

Voted that the County Rate for this year be paid out of the Town Treasury

Voted That the Selectmen be and hereby are Impowered to act as they shall Judge meet and most Convenient in the Civil Law to Recover the Rate & Cost that the Town has been at or may be at in Prosecuting the Matter in which was Left Unto this Town by the 2.d Day of Decem.r Last past & Committed by a Warrant the Civil being by Circumstances missmanaged by Reason of Error in the Warrant & for other Will to do what they Judge meet & Convenient in the Premises according to the Civil Law of the Province

Voted That the Selectmen in the Name of the Town Petition the Generall Court that the Civil Law may be Speedily Settled again

May the 25: 1722

[illegible] for [illegible] of Lumbley [illegible]
[illegible] sum of Seventy four Pounds [illegible]
[illegible] John Davice [illegible] the sum of
[illegible] Shilling & Seven [illegible] 3 12 7
[illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] 23

To Samuel Woods for fencing the Hie High-way to prevent persons taking the infection of the small pox — — — — — — 00 04 00

1722 To mr Joseph whipple for keeping Schoole one half year which began the 21 of march Last and Ends the Last of october Current 23 00 00

To John Cory for his wifes nursing the Child Call Joshua Lambert four weeks 00 16 00

To John Davice Constable for one Day to Notifie those familes that had the Small pox that they keep themselves entirely at home to prevent the spreading more of — — 00 03 06
To Davice for another Day in the Service above so — — — — — — 00 03 06
to a peticular warrant to Notifie Each familie to prevent the spreading of the small pox 00 02 00
for Returning the precept — — — 00 01 00
for making a new Town Pound — — 00 03 06
for fetching the Town Standards from Boley to Ebenezer Spaldings — — — 00 01 00
for one Day to hire a nurse to nurse at Boles. — — — — — 00 02 00
To fencing the high way to prevent the spreading of the Small pox — — — 00 03 00
To mr Joseph Underwood for his going to Concord Court as agent for the Selectmen to Defend the Town from Mary Lambert Complaint of an Inhabitant with his time Expence and keeping a Lawyer — — — 01 15 07

[illegible] on Josiah Fruchter to his Court
[illegible] book of money which is in his hands

To the Reverend [illegible]
for his [illegible] which began
the 25th of [illegible] 1722 and ended the 25th
of [illegible] ensuing — — — — — 25s

To the Revd Mr Lamson Noted for a
quarters salary which began October
25th 1722 and ended the 25th of January following 25

To the Selectmen to manage the affair
of Samuel Child at Court — — 02
To Samuel Hall for his Distance
from Ipswich 21 miles at 4d per mile to and
fro January 1723 — — — — 7 0

To [illegible]

To [illegible]

To [illegible] the 25th of January 1723
to the [illegible]

To Benjamin [illegible] for [illegible]
[illegible] — — 0 1 11

To John [illegible] for warning [illegible]
out at Court

To [illegible] Stevens [illegible] for [illegible]
Lambert Child — — 0 2 11

To [illegible] and Court — 03

To [illegible] for his time and
expence at the [illegible] Lambert and her Child

To [illegible] Ipswich 1722

The Assessment made by the Select men
Constable & 12 Aug 1 Inhabitants in 2:d Division
the Province Treasurers Warrant bearing Date May 9 22
for the Sum of [illegible]

	Polls	Personal estate	Faculty	Income	Sum	
Benjamin Adams	2=6	1=2	0=0	1=6	0=0	05 02
Henry Adams	2=6	0=8	0=0	2=6	0=0	05 08
Thomas Adams	2=6	1=3	0=0	2=9	0=0	06 07
Timothy Adams	5=0	1=1	0=0	2=0	0=0	18 1
Pellatiah Adams	2=6	1=3	0=0	2=0	0=0	06 [illegible]
Samuel Adams	2=6	1=0	0=0	0=0	0=0	02 00
B						
[illegible] Barron	2=6	1=7	1=0	3=9	0=0	08 10
Isaac Barret	2=6	1=11	0=0	1=3	0=0	04 [illegible]
Samuel Barret	5=0	1=2	0=0	1=6	0=0	07 [illegible]
[illegible] Bridge	3=9	1=2	0=0	2=9	0=0	08 11
Josiah Bridge	0=0	0=2	0=0	2=9	0=0	06 11
Henry Bissell	2=6	1=5	0=0	0=2	0=0	05 11
Moses Barret	2=6	0=5	0=0	0=9	0=0	03 [illegible]
David Bruce	5=0	1=1	0=0	3=0	0=0	09 1
[illegible]	2=6	1=1	0=0	0=6	0=0	03 1
[illegible]	2=6	1=6	0=0	1=6	0=0	04 06
[illegible] Barret	2=6	1=7	0=0	0=9	0=0	04 10
Joseph [illegible]	2=6	1=0	0=0	1=1	0=0	04 [illegible]
Joseph [illegible]	5=0	1=9	0=0	0=9	0=0	06 06
Abraham Bysham	0=0	0=0	0=0	0=0	0=0	00 00
Abraham Bysham jun	2=6	1=7	0=0	0=2	0=0	04 [illegible]
Isaac Bysham	2=6	0=9	0=0	1=3	0=0	04 [illegible]
Isaac [illegible]	2=6	1=10	0=0	0=3	0=0	04 07
[illegible]	2=6	1=6	0=0	2=0	0=0	05 [illegible]
James Brown jun	2=6	0=3	0=0	0=6	0=0	03 [illegible]
[illegible]	5=0	0=2	0=0	0=0	0=0	07 02
Joseph Barret jun	2=6	1=0	0=0	2=3	0=0	05 [illegible]
[illegible]	2=6	0=8	0=0	1=6	0=0	04 [illegible]
Ephraim [illegible]	2=6	0=0	0=0	0=0	0=0	02 00
C						
Samuel Chamberlin	2=6	0=0	0=0	0=9	0=0	03 04
Thomas Chamberlin	0=0	1=1	0=0	2=0	0=0	05 [illegible]
Benjamin Chamberlin	2=6	0=6	0=0	1=3	0=0	04 03
Samuel Chamberlin jun	2=6	1=1	0=0	0=6	0=0	04 01
Joseph Chamberlin	0=0	0=0	0=0	0=3	0=0	00 [illegible]
John Cory senr	2=0	0=0	0=0	1=3	0=0	03 [illegible]
John Cory junr	2=6	0=0	0=0	0=0	0=0	02 06
[illegible]	0=6	0=0	0=0	0=0	0=0	00 06
Ephraim Chandler	0=6	0=0	0=0	0=0	0=0	00 06
James Cotter	0=6	0=0	0=0	0=0	0=0	00 06

	Polls						
Zachariah Emery	=6			=3			
John Emery	=0	=0	=0	1=1	=0		
Joshua Osgood	=0	2=6	=0	3=6	=0		
Nathaniel Foster	2=6	=1	=1	1=6			
Edward Foster	=6	1=1	=0	1=3			
[illegible] Foster	2=6	=4	=0	1=0	=0	3	
[illegible]	2=6	=5	=0	=6	=0	3	
[illegible]	=0	=8	=0	=6	=1		
[illegible]	2=6	=2	=0	=6	=0	3	
H							
Ephraim Hildreth	2=6	=1	=0	3=6	=0		
Isaac Hildreth Senr	2=0	=1	=0	1=3	=0	1	
[illegible] Hildreth jun	2=0	=1	=0	=0	=0	2	
Richard Hildreth	10=0	1=9	=0	2=6	=0	1	
Nathaniel Hanwell	2=6	1=0	=0	1=9	=0		
Joseph Hildreth Senr	2=6	1=0	=0	=0	=0	1	
Jonathan Hartwell	2=6	=9	=0	2=0	=0		
Joseph Hildreth jun	2=6	=11	=0	1=9	=0		
Ebenezer Hildreth	2=0	=8	=0	=6	=0		
[illegible] Hildreth jun	2=6	=11	=0	1=3	=0	1	
James Hildreth	2=6	=9	=0	=6	=0	3	
Jonathan Hildreth	2=6	=2	=0	=6	=0	2	
H							
Jonathan Hunt	2=6	=11	=0	1=3	=0	1	
K							
[illegible] Keyes Senr	=0	=7	=0	=3	=0	1	
[illegible] Keyes	2=6	=6	=0	=6	=0	2	
[illegible] Keyes	2=6	=4	=0	=3	=0	3	
John Kidder jun	2=6	1=0	=0	1=6	=0	5	
Joshua Kidder jun	2=6	=3	=0	=6	=0		
Thomas Kidder	2=6	=1	=0	=9	=0	4	
Jonathan Kemp Senr	=0	=11	=0	=9	=0		
Benjamin Kidder	1=0	=2	=0	=0	=0	2	
James Kidder	2=6	=0	=0	=0	=0	2	
P							
[illegible] Procter	5=0	=2	=0	3=0	=0		
[illegible] Procter jun	2=6	=9	=0	=6			
Peter Procter Senr	5=0	1=6	=0	2=6	=0		
Peter Procter jun	2=6	=7	=0	2=0	=0	5	
[illegible] Procter	2=6	1=6	=0	1=3	=0		
Benjamin Parker	2=6	1=3	=0	=9			
Benjamin Parker jun	2=6	=8	=0	=6	=0		
Mary Parker	=0	0 3	=0	=3	=0		
Samuel Procter	4=0	2=0	=0	3=6	=0		
[illegible]	0=0	=11	=0	1=3	=0		

Robbins

Benjamin Robbins
Reuben Robbins

Ebenezer Spalding
John Swallow
Swallow
Elizabeth Spalding
John Spalding
Richard

Ebenezer Wright

October 1722
Comitted to Timothy
Lewis Constable a Copie
of the rate To assesment
the limit of all the sd
being 25 = 10 = 3

Benj Flagg

This following Assessment was made by the Select [illegible] for 1722 to answer [illegible] for the North Side of the Bridge

[illegible]	Bowers	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jonathan	[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ezekiah	Bowers	2	6	1	7	0	6	0	2	0
Abraham	Bowers jun	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	3	0
Ebenezer	Baker	0	0	1	11	0	0	0	9	0
William	Bloget	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	6
Williams	Bloget jun	2	0	1	10	0	0	1	3	0
Nathaniel	Butterfield sen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jonathan	Butterfield jun	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	4	6
[illegible]	[illegible]	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
David	Bloget	2	6	1	10	0	0	0	4	06
Jonathan	Butterfield jun	2	0	1	10	0	0	0	1	6
Joya	Butterfield	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	6
[illegible]	Bloget	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
	Bloget junr	0	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
	[illegible]	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	9
	Tyseby	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
	Butterfield	2	0	1	3	0	0	0	2	0
Nathaniel	Brinton	0	6	0	4	0	4	0	0	0
Samuel	Butterfield jun	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0
	Clarke	5	0	1	5	0	9	0	3	0
		2	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	0
Robert	Constant	0	6	0	5	0	3	0	0	3
		2	0	1	0	0	4	0	1	0
	[illegible]	5	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	9
William	Fletcher	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	Fletcher jun	2	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	7
	[illegible]	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	[illegible]	2	0	1	7	0	0	0	2	9
Paul	Fletcher	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	6
Samuel	Fletcher jun	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	1	6
[illegible]	Fletcher	2	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	9
Thos	Fletcher	2	0	0	11	0	0	0	1	0
	[illegible]	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
	Foster	5	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	6
[illegible]	Fletcher jun	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Samuel	Fletcher jun	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0

		Polls	Pasture &c.	Faculty		Sum Total
	Fletcher	2=6	1=10	0-0	3=6	10
	Fletcher	2=6	0=11	0=0	2=6	11
Ebenezer	Fletcher	2-6	0-2	0-0	2-0	0
Isaac	Fletcher	2-6	0-6	0-0	2-6	5 6
Moses	Greaves	2-6	0-9	0-0	1-6	4 0
Moses	Gould	2-6	0-2	0-0	0-0	2 0
Benjamin	Gould	2=6	0-2	0-1	-0	3 0
Jonathan	Howard	2=6	1=11	0-0	2=6	11
Benjamin	Hewins	2-6	1=2	0-0	2-6	2
Ebenezer	Hunnewell	2-6	0=2	0=2	0=0	2 10
	Keyes	5-6	1=3	0-0	1=6	
Joseph	Keyes junr	2=6	1=0	0-0	1=6	
Solomon	Keyes	2-6	1=0	0-0	1-0	
Henry	Keyes	2=6	1-0	0-0	0=0	2 0
William	Langley	2=6	1=4	0=0	2=0	10
Nathaniel	Langley	0=6	0-2	0=0	0=0	2 8
	Parker	5=0	2-0	0=0	3=6	
	Parker	2=6	1=11	0=0	2=0	
	Parker	2=6	1=0	0=0	0=0	4 6
	Parham	2=6	1=11	0=0	3=1	2
Abram	Parker	0=0	0=2	0=0	0=9	11
Thomas	Parker	2=6	1=2	0=0	2=3	11
Ebenezer	Parkhurst jun	5-0	1=7	0=0	3=6	1
Stephen	Peirce	2=6	0=11	0=0	0-0	4 0
Stephen	Peirce junr	2=6	1=7	0=0	2=3	1
		2=6	0=2	0=1	0=0	0
John	Peters	2=6	0=2	0-6	0=6	4
Ebenezer	Parkhurst jun	2=6	0=9	0=0	0=9	0
	R					
Jonathan	Richardson	5=0	2=1	0=0	4=0	11
	Richardson	5-0	1=1	0=0	2=1	
Samuel	Richardson	2-6	0=1	0-0	0=0	1
Robert	Richardson	2-0	0=11	0-0	1=6	1 6
Zaccheus	Richardson	2-0	0=11	0=0	1=0	1
Thomas	Rogers	2-6	1=2	0=0	0=3	11
William	Rogers	2=0	0=7	0-0	0=0	3

Spalding

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freeholders & others

At a Generall Court Meeting of the Freeholders of the Town of Stamford Regularly Warned & held this 13th day of February 1722/3

It is ordered & Voted that Richard Law be moderator for the ensuing

It is voted & ordered that Mr Benjamin Weed the Present Agent for the Town of Stamford which is now ordered to

That Mr Benjamin Weed the present Agent for the Town to Oppose & Answer the petition & Complaint of the Inhabitants of Rippowam & Toquams & Poquanum & Cheapoag & Newfield & Long Ridge & Horseneck & Stanwich & Greenwich & Byram & Mianus & Greenfield & Compo & Norwalk & Fairfield & New Haven & Milford & Stratford & Derby & Woodbury & Newtown & Ridgefield & Danbury & Reading & Fairfield & Norwalk & Stamford & Greenwich & Rye & Bedford & Salem

and other Inhabitants of the Town of Cohasset
Regularly Warned this 5th day 1772 3

Voted Mr Benjamin Adams be Moderator for
the Ensuing Meeting

Voted To have five Selectmen to serve the Town this
Ensuing Year

Voted That Mr Benjamin Adams Capt Benjamin
Bates Mr John Rawlins Mr Joseph
Stetson and Mr Josiah Fletcher be
Voted Mr Benjamin Adams be the Town Clerk
Voted Mr Elisha Adams and Samuel Bates
be the Constables

Voted That the Meeting be Called at the
Butt of Field Head

Voted That Josiah Fletcher be Town treasurer the
year Ensuing

Voted Ensign Samuel Chamberlin be Sealer

Voted That all Town Orders be Drawn by the Selectmen
and Signed by

Voted Ensign Jonathan Bates, John Parker Philip
Chamberlin Nathaniel Chamberlin

Voted that Mr Peter Thaxter Mr Edward Jones
Mr Edward Chamberlin Mr Richard Bates Samuel
Bates Mr Benjamin Hersey
be Surveyors of Highways

Voted That John Read and John Barker Esqrs Mr Peter Thaxter
Ensign Bates men

Voted That Mr Samuel Bates Mr Josiah
Fletcher and Lieutenant Richard Bates

That Zephaniah Richardson Richard. Powers
Joseph Wilkins jun. & Roger Jun. Jonathan
Wilkins Constables for the Ensuing Year
Shall Powers be
Hawards or Field Drivers

That Ebenezer Foster Ebenezer Parkhurst & Jacob
Bullerfield Joseph Tidereth jun. Elisha Rider
and Benjamin Parker be Hogreeves the Year Ensuing

That the Swine go at Large the Year Ensuing

That the Select men Make an Assessment of Three
Pence Rates on the Pole on Real and Personal
Estate for the Publick Charges of this Town to pass the Treasurer
and to Defray Necessary growing Charges arising in the
Same

The question being put to the Town to Determine
whether all the Voting men Present are
in the Negative

A Motion being made to the Town that Capt
and Ensign Josiah Bowen be Desired
Voting Men
in the Affirmitive

That Ebenezer Parker and Allen
Voting men the Year Ensuing

In Witness whereof the Town Clerk and the
Constables have hereunto set their Hands

March: 11: 1742/3 at the ordinary Town Meeting
began the
Town Clerk and Select Men
for the Ensuing Year

Before the Ensuing Year
July 15: d

At a Generall Town Meeting of the Freeholders
[illegible] Clerk ye 25: 1: 25

[illegible] Clerk [illegible]

[illegible] the Bore [illegible] to [illegible]
Severall Quarters of the Town

[illegible] Remove

[illegible] Parker have Liberty to [illegible]
Lotts done wall

[illegible] Cornwall in the Place above mentioned

[illegible] James Adams Benjamin Chamberlin Jacob Bry
[illegible]
Lotts wall be the Place above mentioned
[illegible] Ebenezer Parkhurst Jun and Capt

[illegible] Place and they to maintain the done wall [illegible]

[illegible] for all Debts [illegible]

To Some Cash for his Subsistance from 8: of January to the 26 of March 1723 — 01 13 00

To mores Brewer for being ouer Rated in the year 1721 — — 00 07 06

To Capt Richardson for making the Diuine Pue in 1723 — — — 00 05 00

To Capt Richard, in for Laying the Line betwen Groton Dunstable and Chelmsford and Laying out 2 highways in the year 1723 — 00 05 [illegible]

To Capt Richard in for time Expended with Billirica Selectmen to view the Bridge in Billirica River in order to Repair the Same and Money the Selectmen Expended — 02 [illegible]

To Capt Southam Richard for Laying out Town Highways in the year 1721 — — 00 12 00

February the 1st: 1723/4 Then the Selectmen Received with Capt Richard Concerning the Town Money in his hands and the was Due to the Town — — 00 12 00

	Polls	Estates	[illegible]	[illegible]	£	ss	d
	1=6=3	07=09	00=00	04=1	01=	15	1
Thomas Cranmer	00=00	06=09	[illegible]	4=8	[illegible]	11	[illegible]
Benjamin Cranmer	08=09	03=05	[illegible]	3=1	0 0	15	03
Samuel Cranmer	03=09	03=08	00=01	01=06	0 0	08	11
Joseph Cranmer	08=09	07=04	01=00	01=09	0 0	17	10
John Cory	08=09	05=00	[illegible]	3=1	0 0	16	10
[illegible] Cory junr	08=09	01=02	[illegible]	1=2	[illegible]	11	[illegible]
Noah Cory	08=09	02=08	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11	[illegible]
[illegible] Cory	03=09	00=00	[illegible]	00=00	0=9	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ephraim Crandall	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00	0	[illegible]	[illegible]
James Cutler	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00	0 0	05	[illegible]
C							
Zachariah Emery	08=09	07=3	[illegible]	01=09	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
F							
Joshua Fletcher	07=06	07=08	00=01	03=[illegible]	0	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nathaniel Foster	08=09	01=05	[illegible]	3=[illegible]	[illegible]	15	11
[illegible] Foster	08=09	07=07	00=00	02=01	0 0	18	5
Andrew Foster	08=09	03=02	00=00	02=4	0 [illegible]	14	[illegible]
[illegible] Foster	08=09	06=5	[illegible]	01=02	0 0	16	[illegible]
[illegible] Foster	00=00	00=00	00=00	01=00	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Foster	08=09	01=02	00=00	01=02	[illegible]	11	[illegible]
H							
[illegible] Hubbard	[illegible]	0=11	00=[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Hubbard	[illegible]	2=7	[illegible]	1=11	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Isaac Hubbard [illegible]	09=09	04=01	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Richard Hubbard	1=6=3	09=11	[illegible]	05=10	0 2	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Hubbard	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Moses Keyes	08=09	02=11	00=00	01=07	0	0	12	
Moses Keyes junr	08=09	02=11	00=00	01=07	0	0	12	
Ezekiel Keyes	08=09	01=09	00=00	01=07	0	0	11	
Caleb Keyes	08=09	06=09	00=00	03=06	0	0	11	
Moses Keyes junr	08=09	02=11	00=00	01=02	0	0	12	
Thomas Kidder	03=09	03=03	00=00	00=09	0	0	07	
Jonathan Kemp	08=09	03=10	00=00	01=09	0	0	14	
James Kidder	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=11	0	0	08	
Jonathan Kemp junr	08=09	01=02	00=00	00=00	0	0	09	
P								
Robt Pinder	17=06	08=06	00=00	05=10	0	1	11	
John Pinder junr	03=09	02=03	00=00	00=06	0	0	06	
Peter Pinder	7=06	03=05	00=00	02=06	0	0	13	
Peter Pinder junr	08=09	04=1	00=00	04=08	0	0	17	
Nathan Pinder	03=09	05=10	00=00	02=1	0	0	15	
Benjamin Parker	07=09	05=10	04=10	04=10	0	0	19	
Benj Parker	04=04	00=00	01=02	0	0	04		
Henry Palmer	0=0	01=09	00=10	00=07	0	0	02	
[illegible] Parker	1=13=0	04=03	00=00	03=02	0	2	17	
Thomas Parker	05=09	02=1	00=00	01=00	0	0	10	
[illegible] Parker	07=09	05=10	00=00	02=11	0	0	17	
Aaron Parker	08=09	06=09	00=00	02=11	0	0	18	
[illegible] Parker	08=09	03=06	00=00	01=09	0	0	14	
[illegible] Parker	3	01=10	00=00	00=09	0	0	06	
widow [illegible] Parker	08=09	03=04	00=00	04=1	0	1	02	
R								
Julius Robbins	05=09	03=04	00=00	01=07	0	0	10	
John Read	03=09	03=05	01=06	01=09	0	0	10	
Benjamin Robbins	07=06	04=01	00=00	02=03	0	0	13	
Thomas Robbins	08=09	06=03	00=00	02=11	0	0	18	
S								
Joseph Stebbins	05=00	01=01	00=00	01=07	0	0	12	
[illegible]	03=09	00=00	00=00	01=02	0	0	05	
[illegible]	01=09	00=00	03=10	04=10	0	0	15	
[illegible]	01=09	01=09	00=00	01=1	0	0	05	
[illegible]	05=09	01=09	00=00	03=10	0	0	11	
[illegible]	11=09	01=06	00=00	05=10	0	1	13	

Aquilla Underwood						
Jacob Waring junr						
Ebenezer Wright						
Joseph Waring junr						
Richardson						
Fletcher						

By Order of the Electors

Jerm. Adams
Town Clerk

Hezikiah Butler	08=09	09=04	03=06	04=08	0 0	04	08
	08=09	07=00	00=00	02=11	0 0	15	11
Deborah Bates	00=00	09=11	00=00	13=00	0 1	2	11
Miriam Bleget	17=06	09=08					
William Bleget jun	08=09	05=10	00=00	02=11	0 0	17	06
Ignatius Butterfield	08=09	09=08	00=00	10=06	0 1	18	11
Saml Butterfield	08=09	03=09	00=00	04=08	0 1		
Daniel Bleget	08=09	05=10	00=00	03=06	0 0	16	1
	08=09	05=11	00=00	03=06	0 0	18	2
Lydia Butterfield	00=00	01=09	0	01=02	0 0	02	11
John Bleget	08=09	04=01	00=00	00=00	0 0	12	10
Ezekiel Bleget jun	08=09	01=09	00=00	00=00	0 0	05	06
Nathaniel Butterfield	08=09	06=02		04=08	0 1	19	00
Ebenezer Bigelow	08=09	03=06				15	02
John Butterfield		06=09		05=03	1	0	
Saml Butterfield jun	17=06	07=03	00=00	04=08	0 1		
Nath Bigelow	16=03	01=09	05=03	00=00	0 1	13	3
Clerk	11=00	09=01	05=03	07=00	0 1		
Jennings	08=09	11=01	00=00	05=03	0 1		
Robert	08=09	02=11	01=09	01=04	0 0	14	00
	09=09	00=02	02=04	02=04	0 0	19	
	17=06	01=10	01=04	01=09	0 1		03
William Fletcher	16=03	15=02	00=00	09=04	02	16	1
Wilm Fletcher jun	08=09	04=04	00=00	01=09	0 0	14	
Sarah Fletcher	00=00	00=00	00=00	01=09	0 0	01	09
Joseph Fletcher	08=09	09=09	00=00	06=05	0 1	04	11
	08=09	10=04	00=00	02=10	1	4	11
Samuel Fletcher	08=09	05=03	00=00	03=06	0 0	11	06
Jonath Fletcher	08=09	06=09	00=00	01=09	0 0	17	03
Jonas	08=09	03=10	00=			16	01
Samuel	08=09	00=10	00=00			11	09
Joseph	17=06	06=09	00=00	01=09	0 1	06	

Jonathan Richardson	17=06	3=2=y						
Josue Richardson	08=09	11=08						
Samuel Richardson	08=09	17=06						
Robbot Richardson	08=09	06=09						
Zachary Richardson	08=09	06=09						
Thomas Read	08=09	07=07						
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[illegible]		12=1						
Edward Spaulding	16-3	12=5						
Margret Spaulding	0=0	01=9						
[illegible]		2=1						
[illegible]								
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[illegible]								
John Stevens								
[illegible]								
[illegible]								
Timothy Spaulding junr								
Andrew W Spaulding								
John Wright								
Jacob Wright								
[illegible]								
Samuel Woods								
Isaac Bicker								
[illegible]								
Ebenezer Virgin								
[illegible]								
[illegible] William								
Thomas Potter								
Jonathan Bowers junr								
William Spaulding								
Simon Rumsell								

Jos[illegible] Richardson
John Robbs
Jonathan Bettle

To the Constable or Collector of the Town of Chelmsford within the County of Middx and every of them Greeting —

Whereas you are Required to Levy and Collect of [illegible] in Proportion Therein at Page [illegible] the Sum [illegible] such List being a Tax or Assessment granted and agreed [illegible] 1729

This is the same And to Deliver and pay [illegible] the one half of the Sum and Sums which you shall [illegible] or before the Day of July next ensuing [illegible] the Value thereof and the Prices or Parcels [illegible] of the Owner: and if the owner do not pay the Sum or Sums of money so Assessed upon him within the Space of four Days then [illegible] To [illegible] Remain untill he or they pay and Satisfie the Sum and Sums [illegible] 1723

In Order of the Selectmen

Attest:
Town Clerk
of Chelmsford

May the 10: 1725

Comitted to Nehemiah Adams Constable
a Town Rate to gather the
Rest being — 9c 18s 0d

On the Day above Comitted to Andrew
Spaulding Constable a Town Rate to gather
the Sum totall thereof being — 9c 08s 3d

You are to pay out to Each person to
whom the Town is indebted, as you
shall have order from the Select men —

23 Comitted to Nehemiah Adams Constable ajoyning
two years Rate to Collect amounting to — 25 19 1

Do to Constable Andrew Spalding ajoyning
Rate to Collect of — — 22 07 02

The overplus in Constable Spauldings Rate
was Six Shillings which was for the
Towns use

A General Town meeting of the Freeholders
& Inhabitants of the Town of Richmond
Regularly Chambled may y^e 10: 1723
Voted unanimously that Mr Stephen Peirce be the Representative
next to Boston for the Ensuing Year

August 1723 At a meeting of the Freemen
Ephraim Chandler made Application to them that he
might be eased of his Rate for 3 Year by Reason y^t
he was in the way of the Eastward and it was Voted
that he should be discharged of the 3 pounds 18 08 0d

1723 [illegible]
mr Josiah [illegible] (Cornelius [illegible] being put
& Pellatiah Evans (Cornelius [illegible] being put
& Elisha Allexander) the sum of — 90 18 03

mr Josiah Spalding the sum of — 90 08 03

and to pay out to reforme the [illegible]
Debt & the Treasurer shall receive
order from the Assembly (viz)
To Hugh Tousey for Cleaning & Repairing
the Court house from the twenty first of March
the twenty fifth of June 1723 — — 01 10 00
15 To mr Seth Wright for keeping prison
1723 from the 1st of October 6 in March 2 17 00
To John Cary in full for keeping prison
15 Lambert Pike fourteen weeks — 02 00 00

To Samll Gould for his Subsistance
from the 26 march 1723 to the
20 of August following — — 03 03 00
To the Revd mr Samuel Hodges for
1723 his Quarter Sallery from the 25th April
1723 to the 25th of July following — 25 00 00
To Joseph Bartlett for keeping prisoners
Child

To mr Joseph Underwood for serving
as Representative for the Year 1723 18 08 00

To mr Stephen Paine for his service at
the Generall Court in the may Session and
in the Session in August and in Sept
the sum of — — — 6 04 00

To the Reverend mr Samuel Hodges
for his Quarter Sallery from the 25th
of July 1723 to the 25th of October following 25 00 00

Orders to ye High Constable
Town Treasurer for the Year 1723

To Zachariah Field for Land
sold Living in his House Upon the
first of April: 1723 untill the Last of
Sept: mr following Thirteen Shillings 0 0 13 0

To Saml Gould for his subsistance
from the: 20: of August 1723 to the
14 of December following — — 02 11 0
Decem 17

To Edward Spalding for his Charges
Relating to Lamberly Child — — 0 0 15 0
To Ensign Chamberlin for entring a
Warrant at Court & persons names
out out of Town — — 0 0 02 0

To William Longley for Entring
a Warrant at Court of the Widow
Sarah Gohusha and her Children and
John Duncan out of Town — — 0 0 02 0
being warned out of Town
To Isaac Hall Historic? jun for Living
over Rated in the year 1723 — — 0 0 03 0
To many persons for Living over Rated
in the year 1722 12
To Saml Chamberlin jun — — 0 0 12 0
To Moses Foster — — 0 0 01 0
To James Bum jun — — — 0 0 11 0
To Timothy Dame for warning persons
out of Town — — — 0 0 01 0
To John Brazier for mending the Stats
& the Meeting House — — 0 0 17 0
To Sundry persons for their over Rate 0 0 12 0

To mr Hoard for his Quarters Allow
from the Twenty fifth of October 1723
to the 25: January following — — 25 00
Dec: 25

To mr Hoyle for Keeping the Scholl from
June July: 15: 1723 to the last of October
following — — — 05 00

Chelmsford february the 5th: 1723/4 att a meeting of the
Select men it was ordered that Josiah Fletcher
Treasurer - Stand. Receive of the Constables whose
Names are under Written these following Sums
of money which was and ever Stuck to them
Committed to them of the province Taxes which they
had to Collect as doth appear upon y^e book
of John Cumings Constable in the: y: october in the
year 1719 — — — 00 09 00
of Timothy Adams in the 1720 year — 00 12 00

october 26: 1720 of Edward Spalding
Constable — — — — — 01 02 10

September 28: 1721 of Stephen Peirce
Constable — — — — — 01 09 00

November 2d: 1722 of John Farnum 00 17 00 01
Constable — — — —

And y^e Treasurer is ordered to Receive of
the Trustees the Interest of the Bank money 16 14 07
and to pay as followeth
Ord: for Robbing for Runing the Lines
between Concord Littleton and Chelmsford — 00 03 00
Ord: for Robbing for making the Province
Road — — — — — — 00 01 00
Ord: for Robings for Rewing the Bridge 00 01 00

Ord: for fletcher for Runing the
Lines between Concord Littleton &
Chelmsford — — — — 00 03 00
Ord: for fletcher for making the
province Road — — — 00 03 00
Ord: for fletcher for Laying out
2 highwayes — — — — 00 02 00

	Polls	Estate		
Swallow	02=06	00=03	00=00	00=03
[illegible]				
[illegible]	03=12	01=01	00=00	01=03
[illegible]	02=06	05=07	00=00	01=00
[illegible]	02=06	00=10	00=00	00=06
[illegible]				
[illegible]				
[illegible]				
[illegible]	02=06	02=02	00=00	
[illegible]				
Joseph Williams				
Josiah [illegible]				
[illegible]				
Josiah [illegible]				
Jacob [illegible]				
Ebenezer Wright				
[illegible]				

Benj. Adams
Nath. Heather
Edm. Robbins

25 [illegible]

Milford Sept. 31 - 1723

At a meeting of the Select men it was ordered that Sam.ll Judd should forthwith remove to Sergt John Robbins and there to Receive his Subsistance for 3: shillings per week as the Select men have agreed with the [illegible] to John Robbins otherwise the Said Judd may have the Liberty to provide for him self upon the Towns allowance

Benj Adams
Town Clerk

At a Meeting of the Select men June 29: 1724 it was ordered that Benj. Adams & Sam.ll Clark setting down at the high-way from Isaac Wains ing by Jonathan Smiths to Stratford bridge

Febrary ye 5: 1723/4

Ordered that Selah Fletcher do pay out of the Town money which he Collected & Sum as followeth

To Lt William Fletcher for being over Charged with Rates when he was Treasurer £ 9 17 00

To Lt Fletcher for taking Care of the meeting House and Ringing the Bell one Year which Ended in July: 15: 1723 01 00 00

To Lt Fletcher for paying Bradbury for mending the Meeting House Stays — 1 01 02 11

To Lt Fletcher for Cutting the Town as Treasurer in the years: 1719: & 1720 01 07 00

To Lt Fletcher for being over Rated in the Year 1722 — — — — 00 02 06

To Lt Fletcher for Running the Lines betwee Sigtuate Ipswich and Chebacco and Laying out 2 high-ways — — 00 05 00

To Lt Fletcher for making the prime Rate — — — — 00 05 00

To Lt Fletcher for meeting the Millitia fleet men in order to mend the Great Bridge — — — — 00 03 06

To Revd Adams for being Town Clk 1722 00 10 00

To Revd Adams for being Town Clk 1723 00 11 00

To Revd Adams for money Expended at Court and time in getting the Towns Law Confirmed and in Laying out high ways Returning the precept and making the Original Rate in the year 1722 and in 1723 and for Sundry other Services and in Extraordinary writing and time Expended & Spent in Accompts well Audited for the year 1722 & 1723 05 01 02

Feb 5th 1723/4

Orders to pay Joseph Fletcher Town Treasurer to pay out the Town money which was Committed to him of felloweth

To the County Treasurer — 06 17 07
for the County Rate for the year 1723 —

after the Gallonen

To Ensign Barron for Watting on the Court at Cambridge for to get the Towns Laws Confirmed and money Expended 00 06 00

February the 3: 1723/4

Then the Selectmen Recond with Josiah Fletcher Town treasurer Concerning the Towns money which he was Ordered to Receive of the Constables for the yeare 1722: & 1723 and of the Loan money & Cash Due: to: the Town — — —

Febuary the 5th 1723/4

When the Selectmen Reconed with
Lt William Fletcher Treasurer for
the years 1719 & 1720 and Lt Fletcher
was ever Charged - - - - 09 17 00
and on the same Day Josiah Fletcher
Treasurer was ordered to Discharge
the Sum nine pounds Seventeen shillings

Febuary the 5th 1723/4
When the Selectmen Reconed
with Capt Jonathan Richardson Treasurer
for the year 1721 and to Ballance
accompts there was Due to the Town 00 19 06

Received of Lt William Fletcher Town Treasurer
the full and just sum of fourteen pounds in full of
any Sallary for the year 1720:
Say Received by me - - - - - -
Chelmsford Augt 9th 1721 - I Sampson Stoddard

A true Copy Entred the 6 Febuary 1723/4
pr Benj Adams
Town Clerk

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At a Meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford Regularly Warned March ye 16: 1723/4 - - - -

Voted: That Benjamin Adams be Moderator for ye Meeting

Voted That there be five Selectmen Chosen for the Town this year Ensuing - -

Then the Town Proceeded to the Choice of Officers for the year Ensuing: as follows

Selectmen

1 Lt Benjamin Adams
2 Mr John Richardson
3 Mr Stephen Peirce junr
4 Ensign Samuel Chamberlin
5 Capt Jonas Clark

for Town Clerk Lt Benjamin Adams

for Town Treasurer Mr Josiah Fletcher

Constables Ebenezer Read junr

That the ordinary Town officers Be chosen by nomination & hand vote

for Tithing men

Josiah Bridge Ebenezer Parkhurst junr

Voted Deacon John Cummings be Grand Juror

Voted

for Surveyors of Highways

Benjamin Adams

For fence veiwers

William Langley Edward Spalding and Thomas
John Spalding Corbin Barrett junr Gershom

For Hogreaves

William Bloget junr Josiah Rogers junr William
Parker junr & Josiah Pitney Jacob Bacon junr
and Aseph Barret ye

For Hawards or field Viewers

Samuel Buttrick junr Joseph Hosmer junr Joseph
Peirce junr Ebenezer Wood Corbin Kemball junr
Barrett Timothy Spaulding

Upon the petition of Mr Parker in this Instant
and Petitions that the fence viewer may be
Impowered in a Committee to Provide another in his
Roome & be Dismissed

That the Select-men shall have the Assessment
of the Town & Committee the Duties
and Rules to be observed in the Same & also in
Levying the Taxes arising & assessed
in the same

Ordered that Benjamin Hunt the
Town Clerk doth administer to Simon Stone
Esqr

March 16: 1723/4 Zachariah Brown & Moses Rob
inson Had the Constables oath administred to them
by Oliver Whiting Esqr

March ye 2 1723/4 Mr Town took the
the Usefull Oath unto from of the Select men
then one of the Selectmen Nominated Mr Ebenezer
Eck who was one of the Select men

March ye 2 1723/4 Ensign Benjamin Eaton and
Barrel Jun Ebenez Parkhurst Jun Nath Bright
Ensign Benjamin Eaton Joseph Barrell Jun
Benjamin Eaton Nathaniel Bright
William King Isaac Burton Sworn by Joseph Green
before the Selectmen

April the 2 1724
Joseph Newton was sworn to
the Office before the Selectmen

April the ninth 1724 William Longley
Constable and John Spelling were sworn
to the offices for which they were Chosen

April 14 1724 Capt Tim Prentice was sworn
to the office to which he was Chosen

The following Assessment was made by the Select
men of Chelmsford [illegible] 1727 [illegible]
the several Persons in the Town

		Polls	Estate	Stock	Stock	Stock	Total
Benjamin	Adams	08=09	06=09	00=00	03=06	00=00	19
[illegible]	Adams	00=00	03=06	00=00	05=10	00=00	09
[illegible]	Adams	08=09	09=09	00=01	04=08	01=00	03
Timothy	Adams	17=06	10=02	00=00	04=08	01=00	12
[illegible]	Adams	08=09	09=01	00=00	04=05	01=00	02
Joseph	Adams	08=09	05=01	00=00	00=00	00=00	13
Benjamin	Adams jun	08=09	04=05	00=01	00=01	01=00	13
[illegible]	Adams	08=09	01=02	00=00	00=00	00=00	09

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[illegible]	Barrett	08=09	14=01	07=00	10=06	02=00	
Isaac	Barron	08=09	08=09	00=00	02=11	01	
[illegible]	Barron	17=06	08=02	02=11	03=06	01	12
[illegible]	Burdge	08=09	06=03	00=01	04=08		19
[illegible]	Burdge	00=00	00=11	00=01	02=04		03
Josiah	Burdge	08=09	09=11	00=00	05=03	01	03
Henry	Blodget	08=09	04=01	00=00	01=09		14
[illegible]	Bridgham	00=01	00=00	00=00	00=00		09
[illegible]	Barrett	08=09	03=06	00=01	04=01		18
[illegible]	Barrett	00=09	12=03	00=00	04=01	01	05
Joseph	Barrett jun	17=06	05=03	00=00	01=09	01	04
Abraham	Byllam jun	08=09	06=01	00=00	02=04		17
Isaac	Byllam	08=09	06=07	00=00	02=11		18
Jacob	Byllam	08=09	05=10	00=00	02=11		17
Elizabeth	Butterfield	08=09	06=09	00=00	04=08	01	
[illegible]	Butterfield	08=09	04=04	00=00	00=00	00=00	13
Joseph	Barrett jun	08=09	08=02	00=00	05=10	01	02
Edward	Bates	08=09	02=04	00=00	03=06		14
Joseph	Barrett	08=09	00=00	01=02	00=00		09

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[illegible]	Cumings	01=06=3	12=11	00=00	09=04	02	08
Benjamin	Cumings jun	00=09	01=05	00=00	02=11		15
[illegible]	Cumings	08=09	12=05	00=00	02=04		16
[illegible]	Cleaveland	08=09	05=01	00=00	02=11		16
[illegible]	Cleaveland	08=09	02=00	00=00	01=02		11
[illegible]	Cleaveland	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00		09

		Polls	Personal estate	Family	Income	Sum	totale
Ephraim	Cary	08=09	01=02	00=00	00=00	09	11
Simon	Crosby	08=09	05=01	00=00	01=06	01	4
Ephraim	Chidester	08=09	00=12	00=00	00=00	09	
[illegible]	Barrett	17=00	09=05	00=00	07:00	01	13 02
Zachary	Emery	08=09	11=00	00=00	03=06	01	03 02
F							
Nathaniel	Foster	08=09	06=11	00=00	03=06	00	19 02
Edward	foster	17=06	08=01	00=00	02=11	01	08 06
Silas	foster	05=09	06=02	00=00	01=02	00	10 01
Andrew	foster	08=09	05=03	00=00	02=04	00	17 04
John	foster	08=09	02=00	00=00	02=04	00	18 01
H							
Ephraim	Hildreth	08=09	08=11	00=00	03=02	01	10
Isaac	Hildreth	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00	00	08 09
Isaac	Hildreth jun	08=09	04=04	00=00	02=11	00	16 00
Richard	Hildreth	17=06	11=08	00=00	03=10	01	[illegible]
Nathaniel	Harwood	08=09	07=04	00=00	01=01	01	02
Joseph	Hildreth jun	08=09	06=05	00=00	03=06	00	[illegible]
Jonathan	Hildreth	08=09	01=02	00=00	01=00	00	09 11
James	Hildreth jun	08=09	03=06	00=00	00=00	00	[illegible]
Ephraim	Hildreth jun	08=09	04=11	00=00	02=11	00	[illegible]
Aaron	Hubbard	08=09	01=02	00=00	00=00	00	09 11
K							
[illegible]	Keyes	08=09	01=00	00=00	01=04	00	10 03
[illegible]	Keyes jun	08=09	02=00	00=00	01=02	00	11 11
Ezekiel	Keyes	08=09	02=11	00=00	00=04	00	11
[illegible]	Kidder	17=06	05=04	00=00	03=06	01	09 07
John	Kidder jun	08=09	02=04	00=00	01=02	00	[illegible]
Jonathan	Kemp	08=09	03=09	00=00	01=09	00	14 07
James	Lyder	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00	00	08 09
[illegible]	Mirick	08=09	01=09	00=00	02=11	00	10 05
William	Martin	08=09	04=11	00=00	02=04	00	16 00
[illegible]	Proctor	1=6=3	09=00	01=01	01=00	02	02 00
[illegible]	Proctor jun	08=09	06=09	00=00	04=00	01	02
[illegible]	Proctor	01=09	06=02	00=00	00=01	00	14 11
[illegible]	[illegible]	01=09	01=02	00=00	00=01	00	13 00
[illegible]	[illegible]	01=09	06=09	00=00	00=01	00	16 03

	Benjamin Parker jun	05=10	05=10	00=00	1=02	0	12	09		
	Mary Parker	02=07	02=07	00=00	00=07	0	03	02		
	Samuel Parker	13=00	13=00	00=00	05=02	2	16	09		
	Samuel Parker jun	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00	0	08	09		
	Thomas Parker	05=09	02=11	00=00	00=00	0	11	08		
	[illegible] Parker	08=09	07=10	00=00	02=11	0	17	06		
	Aaron Parker	08=09	07=07	00=00	02=11	0	19	03		
	Jonathan Parker	08=09	05=11	01=00	02=04	0	17	04		
	[illegible] Parker	08=09	09=03	00=00	04=01	0	12	05		
	R									
	[illegible] Robbins	08=09	10=09	00=00	07=00	0	1	00	06	
	Thomas Robbins	08=09	08=05	00=00	03=06	0	1	00	08	
	S									
	[illegible]	08=09	09=00	00=00	07=01	0	1	04	09	
	[illegible]	01=09	01=02	00=01	00=01	0	0	09	11	
	John [illegible]	08=09	06=10	00=00	04=05	0	0	19	08	
	Henry [illegible]	08=09	00=01	01=00	00=00	00		08	09	
	[illegible]	08=09	02=02	00=00	01=09	0	0	12	08	
	[illegible]	17=06	10=06	00=01	05=10	0	1	13	10	
	[illegible]	00=00	06=11	01=01	04=08	0	0	11	07	
	[illegible]	08=09	03=09	00=00	02=04	0	0	14	10	
	[illegible]									
	[illegible]	17=06	12=06	00=00	07=01	0	1	17	00	
	[illegible]	00=01	00=00	01=01	01=09	0	0	01	09	
	[illegible]	08=09	09=11	01=01	01=00	0	1	05	08	
	[illegible]									
	[illegible] Warren	17=06	08=11	01=00	05=10	0	1	12	03	
	[illegible] Bethuy	08=09	06=08	00=00	03=06	0	0	18	11	
	[illegible]	08=09	02=07	01=00	02=04	0	0	13	08	
	[illegible]	08=09	06=08	00=01	02=11	0	0	15	09	
	[illegible]	17=06	07=11	01=01	03=06	0	1	08	10	
	[illegible] Miller	08=09	00=01	01=00	01=00	0	0	08	09	
	[illegible]	05=09	01=01	01=09	01=01	0	0	01	06	
	[illegible]	08=09	01=01	01=01	01=09	0	0	01	08	
	[illegible]	08							05	

These Persons [illegible] names
are under written in the
of by Order of Court and
pay to the ministry in
Littleton

	Benjamin Robbins	04=04	07=09	01=01	02=05	0	0	11	09	
	[illegible] Kelley	04=04	03=07	00=00	01=09	0	0	09	08	
	[illegible] Hartwell	04=04	03=01	00=00	01=09	0	0	08	07	
	John [illegible] Procter jun	04=04	03=04	01=01	00=07	0	0	08	03	

Joshua	Fletcher	04=4	9=4	00=00	05=3	0	18	11
Joshua	Fletcher jun	04=4	0=7	01=10	00=00	0	0	11
Josiah	Hildreth	04=4	03=4	00=00	01=02	0	0	16
Josiah	Butterfield	13=00	05=6	00=00	00=07	0	0	12
Thomas	Bloget jun	04=04	02=11	01=01	0=0	0	07	01
James	Brown	4=04	04=01	00=00	1-9	0	1	19
David	Bigby	4=4	01=7	01=00	0-7	0	0	07
Nathan	Procter	4=4	02=02	01=01	0=10	0	0	07
James	Hildreth	4=4	02=11	01=00	00=07	0	0	07
Thomas	Kidder	4=4	03=7	01=00	01=02	0	0	09
Peter	Procter	4=4	03=4	01=01	02=11	0	0	10
Ebenezer	Hildreth	4=4	03=01	01=01	00=07	0	0	08
Samuel	Chamberlin jun	04=4	07=4	01=00	01=9	0	0	13
Josiah	Read --	4=4	05=3	00=00	02=0	0	0	11
[illegible]	[illegible]							

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Benj. Adams)
Jonas Clark (
Stephen Peirce (
Samuell Chamberlin (
John Richardson

Middlesex ss. To the Constable or Constables of the Town of Chelmsford within the County of Middlesex and Every of them Greeting

In His Majts Name You are Required to Levie and Collect of the Several Persons Named in the List herewith Comitted unto You Each one his Respective Proportion therein Set down) of the Sum total of Such List, Rate & Assessment Granted and agreed upon by the Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford Regularly Assembled on March 7th: 16th 1723/4: for Defraying the Necessary Charges arising within the same: And to Deliver and pay in the Sum and Sums which you Shall so Levie and Collect: unto Josiah Fletcher Treasurer of the Said Town the Sum of: 49: Pounds Seven shillings and Eleven pence att on or before the 25th Day of June next Ensuing the Date Hereof: And to Render and make up an account of the whole of your Collections of the whole Sum or Sums aforesaid

or

or before the [illegible] Day of [illegible] next ensuing the Date Hereof: And if any Person or Persons shall neglect or Refuse to make Payment of the Sum and Sums where at he or they are Respectively assessed and sett in the List to Distrein the Goods and Chattels of such person or persons to the Vallue thereof and the Distress and Distresses so taken to Keep by the space of four Days at the Cost and Charge of the owner: And if the owner do not pay the Sum and Sums of Money assessed upon him within the four Days then the said Distress or Distresses so taken by me to Expose and Openly sell att an out-Cry for payment of the said Money & Charges: Notice of such Sale being Posted up in some Publick place within the Town twenty four-hours before hand: And the overplush Coming by the said Sale if any be Besides the Sum and Sums of the Assessment and the Charges of Taking and Keeping the Distress and Distresses to be immediately Paid to the owner: And for want of Goods or Chattels I mean to make Distress You are to seize the Body or Bodies of the Person or Persons so refusing and him and them Convey into the Common Goal of the said County there to Remain until he or they pay and satisfie the said several Sum and Sums whereat he or they are Respectively assessed as aforesaid: Unless upon Application made unto the General Sessions of the peace the same or any part thereof shall be abated: Dated at Redding the [illegible] Day of [illegible] in the Tenth year of his Majt Reign Anno Domini 1724.

By order of the Selectmen of the said Town

Benj. Adams Town Clerk

This following Assessment was made by the Selectmen of Chelmsford the Ninth day of April: 1724: to Defray the Necessary growing Charges arising within the Town

	Polls	Estate	faculty	Income sum total		
Jonathan Bowers	00=00	00=00	00=00	02=04	00=00	02 04
Hezikiah Butler	08=09	06=10	03=06	04=09	0 1	02 11
Jerahmeel Bowers	08=09	06=02	00=00	03=06	0 0	18 05
Deborah Bates	00=00	09=04	00=00	13=05	0 1	02 09
William Blogot	17=06	09=11	00=00	09=10	0 1	17 03
William Blogot jun	08=09	05=10	00=00	02=11	0 0	17 06
Jonathan Butterfield	08=09	09=11	00=00	10=06	0 1	09 02
Samuel Butterfield	17=06	07=00	01=00	04=08	0 1	09 02
Daniel Blogott	08=09	05=00	00=00	03=06	0 0	17 03
Benjamin Blogott	08=09	01=02	00=00	00=00	0 0	09 11
Jonathan Butterfield jun	08=09	06=05	00=00	03=06	0 0	18 08
Lydia Butterfield	00=00	01=09	00=00	01=02	0 0	02 11
John Blogott	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00	0 0	08 09
John Butterfield	08=09	08=02	00=00	07=03	0 1	04 02
Thomas Bixby	08=09	02=00	00=00	01=00	0 0	10 09
Samuel Butterfield jun	17=06	07=03	00=00	04=08	0 1	09 05
Nathaniel Butterfield	08=09	04=01	00=00	04=08	0 0	17 06
Nathaniel Boynton	1=6=3	00=00	05=03	00=00	0 1	11 06
Jonathan Bowers jun	08=09	04=04	00=00	03=06	0 0	16 07
Jonas Clark	08=09	10=04	04=05	07=00	0 1	10 02
John Cummings	08=09	10=06	00=00	05=03	0 1	04 06
Robbert Conant	08=09	03=02	01=09	01=02	0 0	14 10
Joseph Chamberlin jun	08=09	00=10	00=00	00=00	0 0	09 07
John Calsie	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00	0 0	08 09
William Calsie	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00	0 0	08 09
William Chandler	00=00	00=00	00=00	00=01	00	00 01
James Dutton	08=09	05=03	02=04	02=04	0 0	18 08
John Davise	08=09	02=07	02=04	01=09	0 0	15 05
John Duncan	08=09	00=00	01=09	00=00	0 0	10 06
William Fletcher	17=06	17=02	00=00	09=04	0 2	04 00
William Fletcher sen	08=09	05=10	00=00	04=08	00=00	19 03
William Fletcher 2d jun	08=09	04=08	00=00	02=11	0 0	16 04
William Fletcher 3d jun	08=09	01=02	00=00	00=00	0 0	09 11
Jonas Fletcher	00=00	00=00	00=00	01=09	00	01 09
Joseph Fletcher	08=09	11=01	00=00	06=01	00 1	05 1=

	Polls	Estates	Faculty	Income sum	total
Jonathan Richardson	17=06	1=2=10	00=00	09=04	0 2 09 04
John Richardson	08=09	11=15	00=00	07=00	0 1 07 00
Samuel Richardson	08=09	18=07	00=00	09=04	0 1 16 08
Robert Richardson	08=09	07=07	00=00	04=08	0 1 01 00
Zachariah Richardson	08=09	07=03	00=00	03=06	0 0 19 06
Thomas Read	08=09	08=10	02=04	05=03	0 1 05 02
William Read	08=09	02=11	00=00	01=02	0 0 12 18
Jonathan Read	08=09	02=00	00=00	00=00	0 0 10 09
Simon Rumrell	08=09	00=01	00=00	00=00	0 0 08 09
Josiah Richardson	08=09	00=00	01=09	00=00	0 0 10 06
S					
Edward Spaulding	17=06	10=09	00=00	05=03	0 1 13 06
Andrew Spaulding	1=15=3	11=07	00=00	05=10	0 2 12 0-8
Margrett Spaulding	00=00	01=09	00=00	01=02	0 0 02 11
Ebenezer Spaulding	17=06	02=04	02=04	03=06	0 1 05 08
Hannah Spaulding	00=00	01=07	00=00	05=10	0 0 07 05
Joseph Spaulding	17=06	12=03	00=00	08=02	0 1 1 11
Timothy Spaulding	08=09	10=08	00=00	05=03	0 1 [illegible]
John Stevens	17=06	08=02	00=00	05=10	0 1 12 06
Richard Stevens	17=06	06=05	00=00	02=04	0 1 05 03
Henry Stevens	08=09	00=06	2=[illegible]	00=00	0 12 07
Timothy Spaulding jun	08=09	01=02	00=00	00=00	0 0 01
Henry Spaulding	08=09	02=10	00=00	00=00	0 0 [illegible]
Andrew Spaulding jun	08=09	03=06	00=00	00=00	0 12 03
William Spalding	08=09	00=00	00=00	0[illegible]	[illegible]
Zachary Spaulding	08=09	00=00	00=00	[illegible]	[illegible]
Boyng	00=00	00=01	00=00	01=09	[illegible]
W					
John Wright	17=06	07=10	00=00	04=05	0 1 09 05
Jacob Wright	08=09	04=09	00=00	01=02	0 0 14 [illegible]
Henry Wright	08=09	00=00	03=06	0[illegible]	0 0 12 03
Samuel Woods	08=09	00=10	03=06	01=02	0 0 14 03
Isaac Wheelon	08=09	01=02	03=06	00=00	0 0 13 [illegible]
Hugh Tomson	08=09	00=00	00=00	00=00	0 0 [illegible]
Andrew Johnson	00=00	00=00	00=00	03=[illegible]	[illegible]
Isaac Stearns	00=[illegible]	00=00	00=[illegible]	01=02	0 0 01 12
[illegible] Saunderson	08=09	[illegible]	04=09	00=00	0 0 [illegible]

Adams

Jonas Clarke

Reuben Peirce

Samuel Hambleton

John Richardson

Select [illegible]

[illegible] Generall [illegible] Court of the [illegible] Regulating
to be Granted may ye: 15: 1729:

Ordered That mr Stephen Peirce be Representitive for the
Year Ensuing

Ordered That Capt Josiah Cook be Moderator for the Ensuing

Upon the Petition of Capt Underwood and Twelve
others of the Inhabitants of Chelmsford Praying that they
may be Sett off from the Town to Joyne with the Town
to them in Matters in the Publick Affairs of the Town
and they shall agree not to be a Charge upon the
Town Cost: otherwise to Sett them off in the Lyne
as Desired - - -

Ordered That the Petition of Timothy Adams and
others Praying that the Order which Past Decemb
from the Generall Court in Answer to their Petition may
be Repealed Be a Void Vote.

Ordered That Capt Jonathan Richardson Joyn with those who
the Town Concurr shall Appoint to be a Comittee to -
Repair the Great Bridge (over Merrimack River in Billerica
from time to time as there shall be occasion

Ordered That the Highways in the
Repaired by a Rate for the Year - - -

Ordered That the Surveyors shall give timely notice to persons
Put it their Charge that they may work their Rates upon the
Highways -

Ordered That Samll Gould shall have: 20s: to Pave a Rood
in the Street in the Town Near - - -

Ordered That the [illegible] be Granted until the
next Town shall See Cause to Alter it
by a Vote -

Joseph Underwood Enters his Dissent against
the above Said Vote -

11[illegible] Thut Justus Hurlbut and Benjamin Stevens
be Constables for the Year ensuing the publick
Meeting by Law for a Choice Ordered it be
accordingly and the Engage Returned Thus done
the-with

July the 13: 1724

At a meeting of the Select men it was Voted
That Ens: Jos. Hall Clemence allow on the
General List the price of Keeping an Ajourn-
ment at Cambridge the 14: of July Given them
there to answer the Grand Jury Presentment of
So Town for not having a Grammar School master
and a petit[illegible] of stocks

On the Same day aforesd it was ordered That if Mr
Gillman should not perform his agreement to
supply the place of a School master: That
Wilyam Chamberlain should forth with provide
another to supply the place

At a Meeting of the Select men of the Town of Chelmsford: May ye: 15: 1724: it was Voted that Josiah Fletcher Collector of the Ps Town should Receive the Town Assessment which was made to defray the County Charges: Viz of Zachary Emery Constable the sum of 98 = 05 = 11: forty Eight pounds Twelve Shillings & Eleven pence of ps sum to be paid on the first Day of June next ensuing and the other part to be Compleated on the first Day of Novembr next ensuing

Also of Thomas Read Constable: 95 = 14 = 00: to be seven pounds and twelve Shillings of ps sum to be paid by the first Day of June next as above said and the other part to be Compleated on the first of November above said

And the ps Collectors is hereby directed to pay out of ps Assessment from time to time to such as the Town is indebted the following Sums

To the Reverend mr Jason Haven for his quarterly Salary from the 25: of January 1723/4 to the 25: of April following — 2 — 00 — 00

To mr Joseph Hiptt for keeping School in the Town from the 25: of March 1723 to the third Day of march following — 05 — 00 — 00

To mr Steven Greene for keeping Apprentice in a School from the 23 of October 1723 to the 24 Day of March following and in a Scholl from the 25 of April 1724 to the 23 of ps march with travell — — — — 13 12 00

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To the Reverend mr [illegible]
his Quarters Sallery from the 25 of April 1724 to the: 25: of July [illegible]

To Samuel [illegible]
was Voted by the [illegible]

To Samuel Yeo for his Journey from
[illegible] to the 2 Day of this following
[illegible] 0 1 07 0

To Ensign Bowman for the Select men
Expence for the Year 1723 - - - - 0 3 05 0

To [illegible] Procter for being over
Rates in the Year 1723 - - - 0 0 [illegible]
To Nehemiah Adams Constable -
Warning [illegible] out of Order - 0 0 [illegible]
To Do Collector for being over Rate
in the Year 1723. - - - - 0 0 [illegible]

To Ephraim Cummens - for being over
Rated in the Year 1724 - - - 0 0 [illegible]

To [illegible]
Thomas Potter - - - 0 [illegible]
[illegible] Town Rate - - 0 0 [illegible]
[illegible] - - - 0 [illegible]
[illegible] - - - 0 [illegible]
[illegible] - - - 0 0 [illegible]
[illegible] - - - 0 2 06

To [illegible] for Ringing the
[illegible] 24 to the 31 of the
following - - - - - - 0 2 0 [illegible]

[illegible] - - - 0 0 [illegible]

[illegible] 1724 to the [illegible]
following. - - - - - 0 2 0 [illegible]

following - - 25 [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] 1724 to the [illegible]

To Ensign Samll Chamberlin
for Two Journeys to get of the Grand
Presentment for not hauing a Scholemaster
and 3 Journeys to hire and get a School master
and paying the Court Charges £ 04 06 06

To mr Ottiway Smith for his Journey
Clerke one quarter
the 7th of August
of Provincial

To Peletiah Hawes
Country Rates and gettalle in
for the Rate of Jasiah
Rate of

To Capt Joseph Spaulding
for Spauldings being Later Rated
in the Year 1720 £ 2

To mr Stephen Peirce for his Reprs
the Town in Grand and General
Quarter
2d day of may 1725 to the 20
with four Days for Travelling £ 14 12 00

To Samll Gould for his Subsistance from
the 2d of november 1724 to the 25 Day
of February following 02 08 00

To Benjamin Adams for time Expended
at Court and with the Committee and other
time and Writting and money Expended about
Relating to the affairs of the Precinct 10 13 02

To Benjamin Adams for making and
Recording the Country Tax and other
writings about it and Returning the precept
and time in making and Recording the
County Rates and Warants
and time expended and money about the
meadiney the way to Littleton 02 11 02

To Benjamin Eldans for Serving the Town as Clerk — — — — — 0 0 10 0

To mr Thomas Frink for one Quarter of a Year Ending the 25 of March 1729 to the 22 Day of February following 1 1 05 00

To Ensign Chamberlin for making the Province and County Rate — 0 0 13 00

To John Richard in for making the Country and County Rate — — — 0 0 12 00

To Stephen Peirce for making the Country and County Rate — — — — 0 0 14 00

To Jt Fletcher for measuring the highway to Littleton — — — — — 0 0 03 00

To Capt Clark for making the Province and County Rate — — — — — 0 0 12 00

To Capt Clark for the Selectmens expence at there meeting Here and the Comittees expence att Runing the neck Line — — — 00 05 00

To mr John Richardson for five Days and half in surveying and Ruling the Dividing Line — — — — — 0 1 04 09

To mr John Richardson for Ruing the neck line 0 0 03 00

To Ensign Chamberlin for [illegible] Days attendance on the Surveyor in surveying the Town & Setting out the meeting Hous Spott and two Days attendance on the Committee in Runing the Dividing Line — — — — — — — 0 2 00 06

To Ensign Chamberlin for Ruining the neck Line — — — — — — — 0 0 03 00

To Stephen Peirce Late Constible for the Rate of Thos Durant not gettable — — — 0 0 02 06

To the Rate of Benjamin Blagett of Town and Country for the year 1721 — Not gettable — — — 0 0 10 0

To the Rate of Daniel Fletcher not gotten in the year 1729 — — — — — 0 0 12 00

To Capt Clark for Time and money Expended at a Small Court Relating to the precinct of Lan — — — — — 0 0 16 00

To Ensign Chamberlin for Two Days Service by the Committee order — — — 0 0 06 00

To Ensign Baron for the Selectmens Expence — — — 0 5 07 02

Note that the five pounds Sett of to the Comittee for to manage the affair Relating against the precinct is part of the 10:13:02 Benj adams Cler for

This following Assessment was

1724

Benjamin	Adams	05	10	01	07						
Wy.	Adams	00	00	09	00	00	07	0	0	01	04
Thomas	Adams	05	10	01	08	00	00	04	06	0	0	12	00
		17	06	02	05	00	00	04	06	0	1	04	05
Patrick	Adams	05	10	02	11	00	00	04	06	00		13	05
	Adams	05	10	01									
Benjamin	Adams jun	05	10	00	08	00	00						
		05	10										
		05	10	06	00	00	06	10	01	0	1	01	11
		05	10	01	05	00	00	04	06	0	0	11	09
		00	00	00	02	00	00	02	03	0	0	02	03
		05	10	02	11	00	00	05	00	0	0	12	11
		11	08	0									
		05	10	01	00	00	00						
		05	10	02	06	00	00						
		17	06	01	03	00	00						
		17	06	02	04	00	00	02	03	0	1	02	01
		05	10	01									
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		05	10	01	06								
		05	10	01	00	00	00						
		05	10	01									
Elizabeth	Buttorfield	00		01									
		05	10	00	11								
Joseph	Brarett jun	05	10	01	08								
		05	10										
Ephraim	Barrett	05	10	00	03								
Samuel	Chamberlin	17	06	03	02	00	00						
		05	10	00	11								
	Chamberlin	00	00	01	00	00	00	02	09	0	0	03	09
		05	10	00	10	00	00	02	09				
		05	10	00	05								
		05	10	00	00	00	00	00	00				

Ephraim	Cary	05=10	00=00	00=00	00=00	0	0	05	1
Ephraim	Child	05=10	00=03	00=00	00=00	0	0	06	2
	Chester		03=10						
Elias	Chester	00=00	01=05	00=00	01=00	0	0	2	0
Andrew	Carter	05=10	01=01	00=00	02=03	0	0		
John	Chester	00=00	00=05	00=00	01=00	0	0	1	0
Moses	Chester	00=00	01=01	00=00	02=03	0	0		
	H								
Ephraim	Hildreth	05=10	02=03	00=00	07=04	0	0	15	0
Isaac	Hildreth	05=10	00=00	00=00	00=00	0	0		
Nathaniel	Harwood	05=10	01=09	00=00	03=11	0	0	11	0
James	Hildreth	05=10	01=03	00=00	01=01	0	0	08	0
	K								
Moses	Kelly								
Ephraim	Kidder	05=10	01=06	00=00	02=03	0	0	09	0
	Kidder	05=10	00=01	00=01	00=01	0	0		

Benj. Adams
John Richardson
Samuel Chamberlain
Stephen Peirce

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Ephraim Hildreth

Isaac Hildreth

Isaac Hildreth junr

Richard Hildreth

Nathaniel

Joseph Hildreth Senr

James Hildreth

Joseph Hildreth

Ephraim

Jonathan Hildreth

James Hildreth

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Benj. Adams
Jam. Clark
Stephen Peirce
Samuel Thornton

1724 Benj. Adams
Town clerk

To the Constables or Constables of
the Township Parish within the
County of Middlesex and Liberty of Tham

In His Majesties Name You are Required to
and Collect of the several persons named in the List
and Schedule hereunto annexed the Respective proportions
therein set down of the Sum of Twenty Pounds
and Sixpence to the County Stock of the
aforesaid County of Middlesex
Given the 10th day of June in the
Year of Reign of our Sovereign Lord
George by the Grace of God of Great Britain
France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith
and in the Year of our Lord 1724

To the Constables

Jno Clerk
of the Peace

This following Assessment was made
by the Commissioners
for the Wapentake of
Wirral

Nicholas	Butler				
Jeremiah	Bowers				
[illegible]					
William	Blount				
Jonathan	Blogett				
Gilbertus	Butler				
Jam[es]	Butterfield				
	Bland				
Peter	Blore				
Jonathan	Gilbertus Butler				
Edw	Edward Butterfield				
	Thomas Blogett				
	John Blogett				
	John Butterfield				
	[illegible]				
	[illegible]				
	[illegible]

Timothy Russell

Josiah Richardson

Edward Spaulding

Timothy Spaulding

John Stevens

Henry Stevens

Eleazer Spring

Hugh Fenton

Sum Total
Thirty Pounds

Benj. Adams
Josiah Stark
Stephen Peirce
Samuel

Middx ss

To the Constable or Constables of the Town of [illegible] within the Hundred of [illegible] and Duty of the Hundred

In his Majtys Name you are hereby required to Levy by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of the Inhabitants of the said Town of [illegible] within the said Hundred of [illegible] and Liberty aforesaid or any part of them the Sum of [illegible] pounds [illegible] shillings and [illegible] pence which by Virtue of an Act of Parliament made in the [illegible] Year of the Reign of his late Majty King George the First Entitled [illegible] was assessed upon the Inhabitants of the said Town of [illegible] within the said Hundred of [illegible] and Liberty aforesaid for the Service of the Land Tax for the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty four and to deliver and pay the same unto the Collectors appointed by the Commissioners for the said County of Middx for the Service aforesaid at the Receipt of his Majtys Exchequer at Westminster on or before the [illegible] Day of [illegible] next ensuing the Date hereof And for your Authority herein You are to Levy the same by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of the Inhabitants of the said Town of [illegible] within the said Hundred of [illegible] and Liberty aforesaid and to pay the Overplus (if any) unto the Owners thereof upon demand And if sufficient Distress cannot be found of the Goods and Chattels of the Inhabitants of the said Town of [illegible] within the said Hundred of [illegible] and Liberty aforesaid whereon to Levy the Sum aforesaid with Charges then You are to Levy the same by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Person or Persons as you shall think fit within the said Town of [illegible] within the said Hundred of [illegible] and Liberty aforesaid And if sufficient Distress cannot be found within the said Town of [illegible] within the said Hundred of [illegible] and Liberty aforesaid whereon to Levy the Sum aforesaid with Charges then You are to Levy the same by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Person or Persons as you shall think fit within the said County of Middx And if any Person or Persons shall refuse to pay the Sum or Sums of Money so assessed upon him her or them respectively as aforesaid or shall not have sufficient Goods and Chattels within the said County of Middx whereon to Levy the same by Distress and Sale thereof and the Distress or Distresses so taken shall be kept by the Space of four Days at the Cost and Charges of the Owner thereof and if the said Sum or Sums of Money so assessed upon him her or them respectively as aforesaid and the Charges of such Distress and Sale shall not be paid within the said four Days after such Distress taken then You are to return the Overplus (if any) unto the Owner or Owners of the Goods so distrained upon him within the said four Days and for want of sufficient Distress to certify the same unto the Commissioners for the said County of Middx at the Receipt of his Majtys Exchequer at Westminster aforesaid on or before the [illegible] Day of [illegible] next ensuing the Date hereof And if any Person or Persons shall refuse to suffer you to make Distress you are to Levy the Sum or Sums of Money so assessed upon him her or them refusing and him or them Commit to the Common Goal of the County there to remain until he she or they are respectively assessed and shall pay the Sum or Sums of Money so assessed upon him her or them refusing and the Charges of such Commitment upon application made to the General Meeting of the Commissioners for the said County of Middx for the Service aforesaid at the Receipt of his Majtys Exchequer at Westminster aforesaid on or before the [illegible] Day of [illegible] next ensuing the Date hereof And if any Person or Persons shall refuse to pay the Sum or Sums of Money so assessed upon him her or them respectively as aforesaid or shall not have sufficient Goods and Chattels within the said County of Middx whereon to Levy the same by Distress and Sale thereof and the Distress or Distresses so taken shall be kept by the Space of four Days at the Cost and Charges of the Owner thereof and if the said Sum or Sums of Money so assessed upon him her or them respectively as aforesaid and the Charges of such Distress and Sale shall not be paid within the said four Days after such Distress taken then You are to return the Overplus (if any) unto the Owner or Owners of the Goods so distrained upon him within the said four Days and for want of sufficient Distress to certify the same unto the Commissioners for the said County of Middx at the Receipt of his Majtys Exchequer at Westminster aforesaid on or before the [illegible] Day of [illegible] next ensuing the Date hereof And if any Person or Persons shall refuse to suffer you to make Distress you are to Levy the Sum or Sums of Money so assessed upon him her or them refusing and him or them Commit to the Common Goal of the County there to remain until he she or they are respectively assessed and shall pay the Sum or Sums of Money so assessed upon him her or them refusing and the Charges of such Commitment upon application made to the General Meeting of the Commissioners for the said County of Middx for the Service aforesaid at the Receipt of his Majtys Exchequer at Westminster aforesaid on or before the [illegible] Day of [illegible] next ensuing the Date hereof

Given under the Hands and Seals of us two of the Commissioners for the said County of Middx for the Service aforesaid at the Receipt of his Majtys Exchequer at Westminster aforesaid the [illegible] Day of [illegible] in the [illegible] Year of his Majtys Reign Annoq Domini 1724

Per Order of the Commissioners

[illegible]

Chelmsford may the first 1724 there was a Coun
Rate Granted to Constable Zaccariah Emery by the
hand of Benj. Adams the sum totall thereof was

98 05 11

on the Day aboue said there was a Coun
Rate Granted to Constable Thomas
Read by the hand of Ensign Samll Cham
berlin the sum totall thereof was — 95 14 00

Chelmsford octobr the 8th 1724 there
was a Province Rate Granted to Constable
Zachary Emery by the hand of
Benj. Adams the Sumtotall there of
was —

51 14 10

on the Day aboue said there was a Provin
Rate Granted to Constable Thomas
Read by the hand of Ensign Chamberlin
the Sum totall thereof was — 53 03 04

Chelmsford Decemr 14: 1724 there
was a County Rate Granted to Constable
Zachary Emery the sum totall thereof
was —

07 12 00

on the Day aboue said there was a —
County Rate Granted to Constable
Thomas Read the sum totall thereof was 06 04 04

Chelmsford May 14: 1724:

We the Subscribers the Selectmen of
Chelmsford and the neck Land [illegible]
was Impowered [illegible]
Removed Jon. John Richardson Benj.
Adams Ensign Chamberlain for Chelms
ford and Lt Fletcher and Ensign Bowers for
the neck Land [illegible]

[illegible] General [illegible]
[illegible] and Inhabitants [illegible]
[illegible] December: 21: 1724.
[illegible] Benjamin Adams be the Moderator
[illegible] Chose to act in all
[illegible] part of the
according to a Just and Equall Division of the
town between the Old Town and the New pa
according to the Prayer of the Petition of
Severall Inhabitants [illegible] at the
[illegible]
Precinct.
Viz.
That there be three men Chosen for the Com
Viz. Mr Benjamin Adams Esqr Samuel
Chamberlin and Mr John Richardson be the Com

Motion being made upon the Vote pa
[illegible]
[illegible] would mend the publick Highway
[illegible] the year: Viz. That the Town w
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
in that Affair as has been Usuall

At a Meeting of the Selectmen then agreed with
Thomas Frink to keep a grammer Schoole in
[illegible] and the first Day of Septemr last
which Service mr. Frink is to have
Pounds as Witness our hands

1724

Jonas Clark
Sam[ll] Chamberlin
Stephen Peirce
Selectmen

per Benj. Adams
Town Clerk

Chelmsford Septemr the 1st 1725

Att a meeting of the Selectmen they agreed with mr Thomas Frink to keep a grammer-Schoole in the Town from the Seventeenth Day of the above 6 month Half a year which will end the 17: Day of march next enuing for which Service mr Frink is to have Twenty Three pands as Witness our hands

Thomas Frink

Benj Adams
John Richardson
Saml Chamberlin
Selectmen of Chelmsford

allwayes provided that if mr Frink shall have a Call to preach att any place he shall be Dismist he giving the Selectmen timely notice thereof

The Town Rate for the yeare 1724

The South Rate Committed to Constable
Zachariah Priest way - - - - - 98 05
The North Rate Committed to Constable
Thomas Read way - - - - - - 93 14 0
There Was in the Treasurers hands of the
Last yeares Assessment - - - - 08 02 0
to which is added the Interest of the Town
money for the yeare above Said which is 16 14 0
and also the Country Rate of Ebenezer
Parker which is - - - - - - 00 10 0
and Likewise the Country and County Rates
of Samll Woods Which is - - - - 00 08 0

Sum Total 219 15 0

Drawn of pr orders from the Town Treasurer
Since may the: 15: 1724 218 17

And there Remains in the Treasurers Hands 00 17 0

And the Reverend mr Samson Stoddards
quarter Salery from the: 25: of January
1724/5 to the: 25: of april Following
Remains unpaid - - - - - -

The accounts Was adjusted by the Select
men the: 25: of febuary 1724/5 --

Attest Benj: Adams
Town Clerk

September 13 1724

The Receipt of Sundry parcells of Powder and Bullets and flints Delivered out by the military officers to the persons hereafter named

To Henry Parker One Gill and 10 Bullets
To Jacob Bysham One Gill and 08 Bullets
To Andrew Foster One Gill and 10 Bullets and 2 flints
To Ensign Chamberlin Two Gills and 11 Bullets and 2 flints
To Benjamin Chamberlin one Gill and 18 Bullets
To Ephraim Barrett One Gill
To Jonathan Spaulding half a Gill and 06 Bullets
To Thos Spaulding half a Gill
To Lt Fletcher a Pint
To John Burdge half a Gill and 06 Bullets
To Thomas Adams half a Gill
To Lt Adams a Gill
To Ezekiel Kies One Gill
To Nathan Brecker One Gill
To Mathias Cowdrey One Gill
To Timothy Adams Two Gills
To Richard Hildreth Two Gills
To Edward Foster Two Gills
To Ezekiel Kies One Gill
To Ephraim Barrett One Gill
To Jonathan Swallow One Gill
To Jonath Spaulding One Gill

Isaac Hildreth four flints
Abraham Bigham 7 Bullets

[illegible] Town Meeting of the Inhabitants
of the Town of Chelmsford Legally
Warned the Second Day of March: 1724/5

Voted That Lt Benjamin Adams be moderator for the Sd Meeting

Voted That there be five Select-men Chose to serve the Town this year ensuing

Voted For Select-men

1 Lt Benjamin Adams
2 ensign Samuel Chamberlin
3 mr John Richardson
4 mr Joshua Fletcher
5 Deacon John Cummings

Voted For Town Clerk Lt Benjamin Adams
Voted For Town Treasurer Lt William Fletcher

Voted For Constables Jonathan Barrel jun & Timothy Spaulding

Voted For 10 Grand Jurors John Spaulding

Voted That the Ordinary Town officers be chose by nomination and hand Vote - - - - - -

Voted For Surveyors of High-ways

Zachariah Richardson
William Fletcher
John Bridge
Nathaniel Hartwood

Zachary Shedd
Isaac Hildreth jun
Aaron Parker
Edward Foster
Jonathan Parkhurst
Solomon Keyes
Joseph Underwood
Ebenezer Foster

voted Four pence-meiwers
John Butterfield
Stephen Peirce junr
Jonas Fletcher
Ebenezer Parker
John Ridder junr
Peter [illegible]

Officers Chosen
Daniel Bixby
Andrew Spaulding
Samuel Chamberlin junr
Joseph Barret junr
Moses Keyes junr
William Read

voted Four Hawards or field Driviers
Jonathan Butterfield junr
Richard Hildreth
Joseph Mc[illegible]in junr
John Robbins
Paul Fletcher

voted That the Schoole be Sett as followeth that is to say
first fore months at the Schoole-house by the meeting-hous
2ly the next fore months in the west End of the Town
3ly the next four months at the above Schoole-hous

voted That there be no money granted untill the Town
meeting that will be in May next for choice of Reverend

Benjamin Adams had the Town Clerks oath administred to him
on the Day above by Ebenezer [illegible]

On the Day above to Jonathan Barret and to Andrew Spaulding
had the Constables oath administred to them by Ebenezer [illegible] 1729

march the 8: 1729/30 Those officers whose names are underwritten
appeared before the Selectmen and there Respective oaths administred
to them by the Town Clerk Zachariah Richardson John Burge
Daniell Hemenway Jacob Reed Junr Hildreth junr Moses Parker Ebenezer
Parker Jonathan Parkhurst Ebenezer [illegible] John Butler Stephen Peirce
Junr Jonas [illegible] Ebenezer Parker John Ridder junr Peter Pierce
Daniel Bixby Andrew Spaulding Joseph Barret junr Moses Keyes junr
Willm Read Jonathan Butterfield junr Richard Hildreth John Robbins
Paul Fletcher

[illegible] Samll Chamberlin junr was Sworn to his Respective
office

At a Generall Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford Regularly assembled may the 16 1725

Stephen peirce Ye Repetitior

At a Generall Town meeting may the: 7: 1725 of the Inhabitants and Freeholders and other Regularly assembled Ensign Jam[es] Chamberlin Clerk for Regulators

At a Generall Town meeting of the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford Regularly assembled August the: 27: 1725

Voted That Lt Benj. Adams be moderator for the Sd meeting

Voted that the Select men make an Assessment on the Inhabitants of Eighty Pounds for the Defraying the necessary Charges arising within the Sd Town and that the Interest of the Loan money be for Sd

Voted That John Read Thomas Read Benjamin Gould and Benjamin Howard be pettit Jurors to serve at Concord Court

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Chelmsford September the: 13: 1725

At a meeting of the Select men upon the Complaint of Phin Read that he was uncapable to subsist himself and that his Sons neglected to do any thing of Service and that his Sons have been Chosen not withstanding for him although they have not been thereto by the Select men it is ordered that Ephraim Craft shall subsist the Sd Read for one month and that if the Sd Reads Sons do not pay Sd Craft he shall be paid out of the Town Treasury until the Gen[eral] Sessions shall take order in the same

[illegible] Meeting [illegible] Precinct [illegible] Chamberlin Esqr Moderator [illegible]

2d That Mr Benjamin Adams be the Moderator [illegible] Meeting

3d That Lt Benj. Adams be the Precinct Clerk

4th That there be three Assessors Chosen

5th That Lt Benjamin Adams Ensign Samuel Chamberlin and Mr John Richardson [illegible]

6th That Lt Benjamin Adams Ensign Samuel Chamberlin and Mr John Richardson be a Committee to manage the prudentials of the Precinct

7th That Lt William Fletcher be the precinct Collector

8th That Jonathan Bumpus jun be the precinct Collector

9th That 20 pounds be Raised to Defray the Charges of the s precinct

10th That One hundred pounds be Raised to pay the West precinct for there part in the [illegible] according to Cont and s agreement

11th That the Revd Mr Hodd shall have one hundred pound to Support him in the work of the Ministry this Present year

12th That Motion being made by the petition of Sundry of the Inhabitants of s Precinct for Seats in the meeting-house

13th That the same be Referred to the next Precinct meeting

14th That Capt Jonathan Richardson Ensign Jun and Ens Jonathan Spaulding be a Committee to view the meeting-house and Consider of what Convenient Seats may be for Seats in the s precinct in the said meeting-house

This following
of Cleiments the [illegible]
1725: To Answer the Province Treasurer's [illegible]
Bearing Date July the 25: 1725:

	Polls	Personal Estates	Faculty	Income	Sum total
	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
Benjamin Adams	08 = 04	02 = 08	00 = 00	03 = 11	14 11
Thomas Adams	08 = 04	03 = 04	00 = 00	05 = 08	10 00
Timothy Adams	1 = 5 = 00	03 = 07	00 = 00	05 = 01	13 08
Zelatiah Adams	08 = 04	03 = 07	00 = 00	05 = 1	17 00
Joseph Adams	08 = 04	03 = 00	00 = 00	03 = 03	14 07
Benjamin Adams jun	08 = 04	01 = 04	00 = 00	3 = 3	12 11
Samuel Adams	08 = 04	00 = 00	00 = 00	00 = 00	08 04
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Jonathan Barron	08 = 04	06 = 09	02 = 03	09 = 02	30 06
Isaac Barron	08 = 04	02 = 01	00 = 00	03 = 11	13 10
Samuel Barron	1 = 5 = 00	02 = 08	00 = 00	03 = 11	11 07
Silas Bourge	08 = 04	02 = 01	00 = 00	05 = 01	15 06
Moses Barnett	16 = 08	03 = 05	00 = 00	07 = 08	07 09
Jonathan Barrett jen	08 = 04	02 = 01	00 = 00	04 = 08	15 11
Jonathan Barrett jun	08 = 04	03 = 09	00 = 00	07 = 01	19 02
Joseph Barnett jen	16 = 08	01 = 08	[illegible]	01 = 09	11 01
Joseph Bruderfield	1 = 5 = 00	03 = 05	[illegible]	03 = 01	11 09
James Burr	08 = 04	02 = 08	00 = 00	03 = 09	14 01
[illegible] Bulkley	08 = 04	02 = 03	00 = 00	04 = 06	15 01
Isaac Bysham	08 = 04	01 = 09	00 = 00	02 = 03	12 04
Jacob Bysham	08 = 04	01 = 06	00 = 00	02 = 03	12 05
Elizabeth Bulkley	00 = 00	01 = 11	00 = 00	03 = 01	07 00
Joseph Barnett jun	08 = 04	02 = 03	[illegible]	05 = 01	16 03
Ephraim Bo[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Bird	08 = 04	00 = 05	1 = 06	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Samuel Chamberlin jun	1 = 5 = 00	04 = 04	00 = 00	10 = [illegible]	[illegible]
Samuel Chamberlin jun	08 = 04	05 = 10	00 = 00	04 = 06	[illegible]
Benjamin Chamberlin	08 = 04	02 = 04	00 = 00	02 = 01	12 06
Joseph Chamberlin	00 = 00	01 = 11	00 = 00	02 = 05	04 04
John Cory sen	08 = 04	00 = 09	00 = 00	02 = 10	11 11
John Cory jun	08 = 04	00 = 07	00 = 00	01 = 02	10 01
Josiah Cory	08 = 04	00 = 00	00 = 00	0 = 00	08 04
Ephimim Cory	08 = 04	00 = 05	00 = 00	00 = 00	08 09
Ephraim Chandler	08 = 04	01 = 00	00 = 00	02 = 01	11 05
Samuel Cowdrey	08 = 04	00 = 11	00 = 00	01 = [illegible]	[illegible]
Mathias Cowdrey	08 = 04	00 = 07	00 = 00	00 = 09	09 [illegible]

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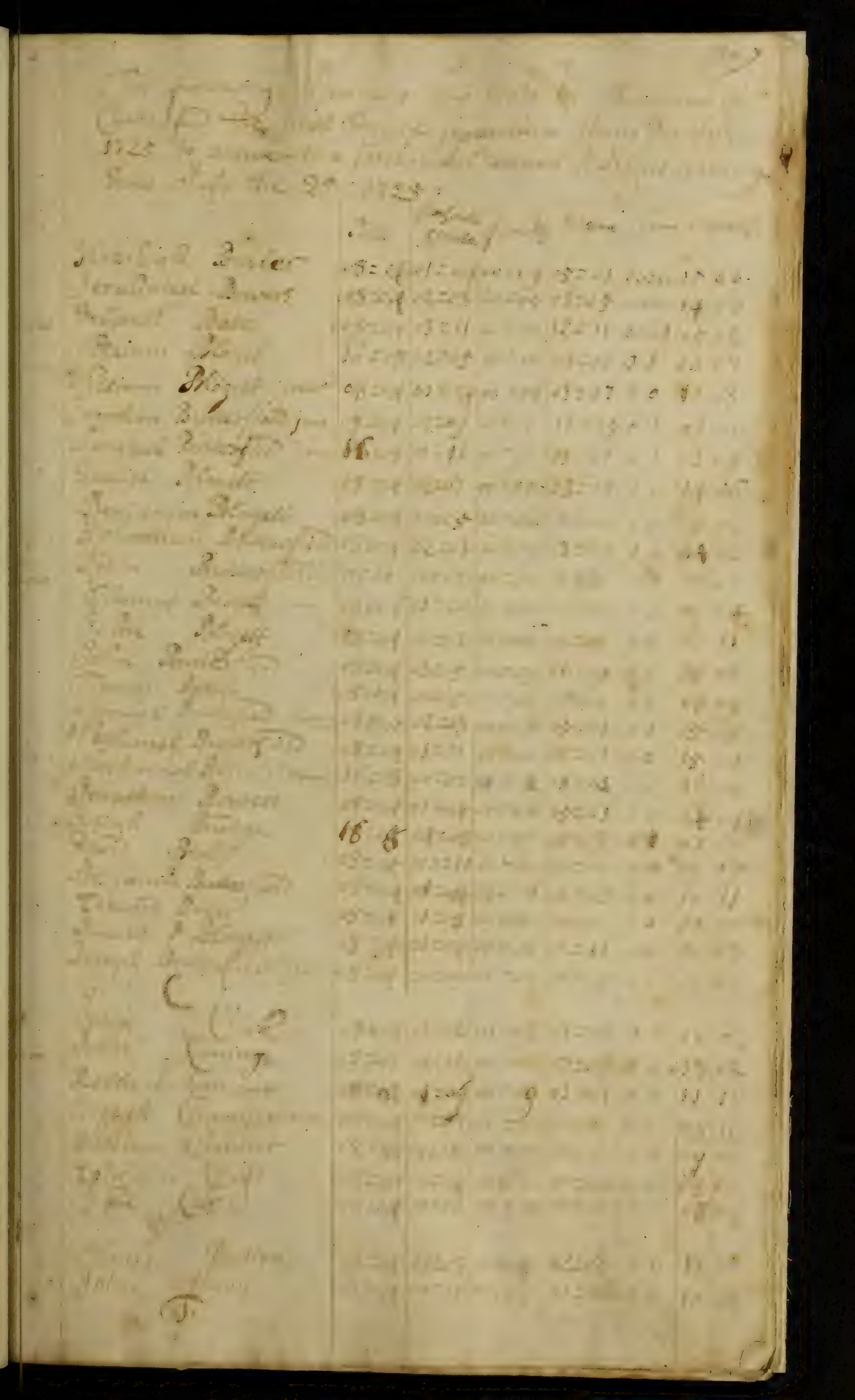
John Richardson
Joshua Fletcher
Samuel Cranston

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Keyes

Keyes jun.

Keyes

Keyes

Parker

Parker

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Parker

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Peirce

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Perham

Perham jun.

Perham

Prescott

Prescott jun.

Powers jun.

Jonathan Richardson										
John Richardson										
Samuel Richardson										
Robert Richardson										
Zachariah Richardson										
Thomas Read										
William Read										
Jonathan Read										
[illegible] Rumrell										
[illegible] Richardson										
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Hannah Spaulding										
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[illegible]										
Benjamin Read										

Sum of Total Received 80 07 05

Benj. Adams
John Richardson
Joshua Fletcher
Samuell Chamberlin
Select men

Jonathan Barnell jun
Joseph Barnell jun
Joseph Butterfield
James Brim
Abraham Bysham
Isaac Brim
Jacob Bysham
Elizabeth Butterfield
Joseph Barnell jun
Ephraim Barnell
Henry Bagley
Samuel Chamberlain jun
Samuel Chamberlain jun
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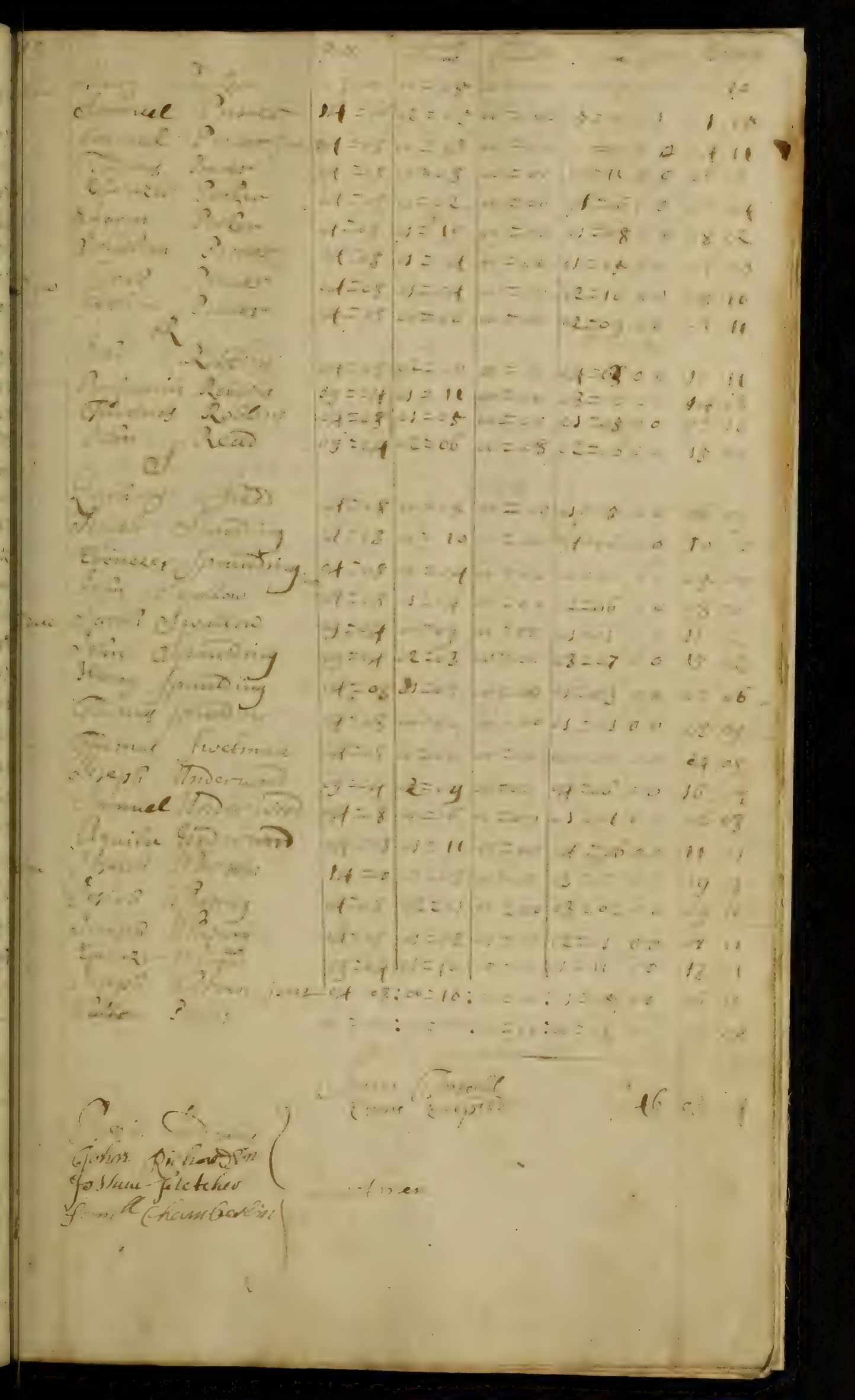
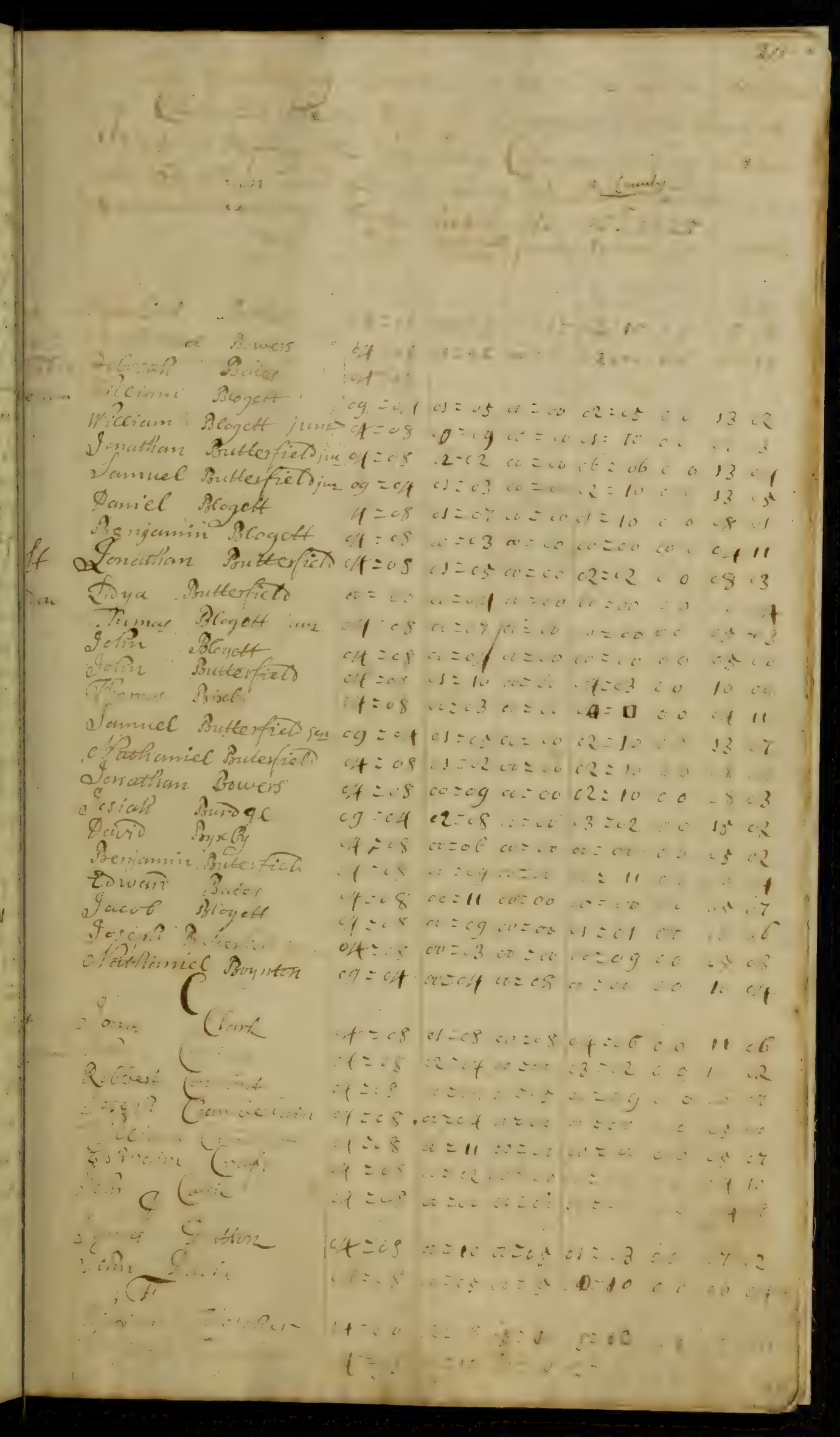

Robbert Richardson
Zachariah Richardson
Read
William Read
Jonathan Read
Rumsell
Josiah Richardson

Edward Spalding
Andrew Spalding
Comfort Spalding
Eliezer Spalding
Spalding
Joseph Spalding
Timothy Spaulding
Stephens

Steam
Clemy Spaulding
Timothy Spaulding
Isaac Steam

T

Eleazer
Hugh Tomson

Jacob
Lewis
Samuel
Andrew

Triall Trudge
Nicolas Trask

Benj. Adams
Joshua Fletcher
John Richardson
Samuel Chamberlain

The following Assessment was made by the Assessors of the East Precinct of the Town of Cranston the Eight Day of December Anno Domini 1720 to pay the next Publick Tax in their part of the meeting House for the Supporting of the Ministry and the Defraying the Necessary Charges of the Precinct

	Polls	personal Estates	faculty	Freeme.	Sum Total
Benjamin Adams	12 = 03	07 = 00	00 = 00	10 = 00	09 09
Thomas Adams	12 = 03	09 = 00	00 = 00	13 = 03	11 06
Timothy Adams	1 : 16 : 9	09 : 06	00 = 00	13 = 03	19 06
Pellatiah Adams	12 = 03	09 = 06	00 = 00	13 = 03	15 00
Joseph Adams	12 = 03	08 = 00	00 = 00	08 = 06	08 09
Benjamin Adams jun	12 = 03	03 = 06	00 = 00	08 = 06	04 03
Daniel Adams	12 = 03	00 = 00	00 = 00	00 = 00	12 03
B					
Nathan Burgess	12 = 03	18 = 00	06 = 00	04 = 06	09 09
Isaac Barron	12 = 03	05 = 06	00 = 00	09 = 00	06 09
Daniel Burgess	1 : 16 : 9	07 = 00	00 = 00	10 = 06	14 03
Peleg Burlingame	12 = 03	05 = 06	00 = 00	13 = 06	11 03
Daniel Burrill	1 = 4 : 6	09 = 00	00 = 00	1 = 0 : 6	14
Jonathan Burratt	12 = 03	05 = 06	00 = 00	12 = 06	10
Jonathan Burratt jun	12 = 03	10 = 00	00 = 00	19 = 00	01 03
Joseph Burratt	1 = 4 = 6	04 = 00	00 = 00	04 = 06	13 00
William Bysham jun	12 = 03	00 = 00	00 = 00	12 = 06	10 03
Jacob Bysham	12 = 03	04 = 00	00 = 00	06 = 00	02 03
Isaac Bysham	12 = 03	05 = 00	00 = 00	04 = 00	03 03
Joseph Burrat jun	12 = 03	06 = 00	00 = 00	15 = 00	13 03
Ephraim Burrett	12 = 03	01 = 00	00 = 00	00 = 00	12 03
Henry Bagwell	12 = 03	01 = 00	04 = 00	03 = 00	00 00
Hezekiah Butler	12 = 03	03 = 06	02 = 00	13 = 06	09 06
Jeraliniel Bowers	12 = 03	06 = 00	00 = 00	09 = 00	07 03
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Jonathan [illegible]	12 = 03	10 = 00	00 = 00	1 : 10 : 1	12 04
Daniel Blogget	12 = 03	07 = 00	00 = 00	09 = 06	07 03
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Thomas Brick	12 = 03	01 = 00	00 = 00	00 = 00	12 03

Samuel	Butterfield	12=03	00=00	00=00	13=06	02	01	00
Samuel	Butterfield	12=03	03=00	00=00	13=06	02	03	00
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Israel	Burdge	00=00	00=00	00=00	06=06	00	06	06
Jacob	Bugil	12=03	03=06	00=00	03=00	01	00	03
Samuel	Chamberlain	11=04	11=06	00=00	11=07	03	03	00
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Joseph	Chamberlain	12=03	04=06	00=00	06=06	01	03	03
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John	Carey junr	12=03	01=06	00=00	03=00	00	16	09
Jesse	Carey	12=03	00=00	00=00	[illegible]		12	03
Ephraim	Carey	12=03	01=00	00=00	01=00	00	13	03
Ephraim	Chandler	12=03	05=00	00=00	13=06	01	10	09
Samuel	Cowdrey	12=03	02=06	00=00	02=06	00	17	03
Matthias	Cowdrey	12=03	01=06	00=00	02=00	00	15	09
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William	Fletcher	1=16=09	12=06	00=00	18=00	03	07	03
William	Fletcher jr	12=03	05=00	00=00	07=06	01	01	09
Sarah	Fletcher	00=00	00=00	00=00	01=00	[illegible]	01	06
Samuel	Foster	00=00	00=00	00=00	06=06	00	06	06
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		Polls	Ratable Estate	Faculty			
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Stephen	Peirce	12=03	04=06	00=00	07=00	01	02 09
Stephen	Peirce jun	1=16=09	09=00	00=00	14=06	03	00 03
Jacob	Peirce	12=03	02=00	02=00	00=00	00	16 03
Isaac	Perham	00=00	00=00	00=00	1=00=00	04	05 03
Ebenezer	Parkhurst jun	12=03	05=06	00=00	10=00	01	07 09
Jonathan	Parkhurst	12=03	04=06	00=00	06=06	01	03 09
Benjamin	Parker jun	12=03	05=06	00=00	03=06	01	01 03
Obadiah	Parker	12=03	02=06	00=00	09=00	01	03 03
	R						
John	Robbins	12=03	09=06	00=00	1=00=00	02	01 09
Jonathan	Richardson	1=4=6	1=4=0	00=00	1=11=00	03	15 06
John	Richardson	12=03	11=06	00=00	1=2=6	02	06 12
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Zachary	Richardson	12=03	06=00	00=00	10=00	01	08 03
Josiah	Richardson	12=03	00=00	03=00	00 00	00	14 03
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John	Swallow	12=03	07=00	00=00	12=00	01	11 03
Sarah	Swallow	1=4=6	03=06	00=00	05=00	01	13 00
John	Spaulding	1=4=6	10=06	00=00	17=00	02	12 00
Henry	Spaulding jun	12=03	07=00	00=00	05=06	01	04 09
Thomas	Spaulding	12=03	00=00	00=00	05=06	00	17 09
Edward	Spaulding	1=4=6	11=06	00=00	15=00	02	11 00
Andrew	Spaulding	2=9=0	10=06	00=00	21=03	03	16 06
Margrett	Spaulding	00=00	01=06	00=00	03=06	00	03 00
Ebenezer	Spaulding	1=4=6	01=06	02=00	04=00	01	12 00
Joseph	Spaulding	1=4=6	10=06	00=00	1=7=00	03	02 00
Hannah	Spaulding	00=00	02=00	01=00	09=00	00	11 00
John	Stephens	1=4=6	06=06	00=00	13=06	02	04 06
Richard	Stevens	1=4=6	03=06	00=00	06=06	01	16 06
Henry	Stevens	12=03	03=00	00=00	03=06	00	18 09
Henry	Spaulding sen	12=03	04=06	00=00	04=00	01	00 09
William	Spaulding	12=03	00=00	00=00	00=00	00	12 03
	T						
Eleazer	Tyng	00=00	00=00	00=00	06=00	00	06 00
Hugh	Tomson	12=00	00=00	02=00	00=00	00	14 03
	W						
Joseph	Warren	1=4=6	08=00	00=00	12=00	02	04 06
Joseph	Warren jun	12=03	04=00	00=00	06=06	01	02 09
Thomas	Warren	12=03	02=00	00=00	02=06	00	17 03
Joseph	Whetney	12=03	03=00	00=00	1=00=00	01	01

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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible] Tithe 21 16 0

[illegible] Exempted

[illegible] Benj. Perry [illegible]
[illegible] John Richards [illegible]

Middx ss

To Mr Jonathan Barrat Collector
of the East Precinct of the Town of Chelmsford
in the Sd County Greeting ——

In his majs Name you are Required to Levy and Collect
of the Severall persons named in the List herewith Committed unto
you Each one his Respective proportion therein set Down of the
Sum Total of such List being Severall Sums granted and
agreed upon by the Inhabitants of the East precinct of the
Town of Chelmsford being Convened at a publick meeting
October the 6: 1725: For paying the Sevll precincts
their part in the meeting-house according to Contract —
and the rest towards the Ministry and to defray the other
Charges arising in the East precinct Amounting to the
Sum of 238 Pounds = 16 —— shillings and
4 —— pence And to Deliver and pay in to Mr ——
William Fletcher Treasurer of the Sd precinct his order
or successor in the same place and office and to Com——
and make up an account of your Collecting of the
Whole Sum and Sums at or before the second Day of
January — next Ensuing the Date hereof And if any
person or persons shall neglect to make payment of
the Sum or Sums whereat he or they are Respectively
assessed and set in the Sd List to Distrein the goods or Chattels
of such person or persons to the Value thereof and the
Distress and Distresses so taken to keep by the space of ——
four Dayes at the Cost and Charge of the Owner And
the owner Do not pay the Sum or Sums of money so ——
assessed upon him within the Sd four Dayes after the
Distress or Distresses so taken you are to Expose and Sell
at an outcry for payment of the money and Charges
Notice of such Sale being previously given and Publick
place Twenty four hours before the day of
such Coming by Sd Sale (if any be) Returning unto
the Assessment and the Charges of such and Restor
of the Distress and Distresses to be immediately Returned to the
owner: And for want of goods or Chattels whereon to
make Distress you are to take the Body or Bodies of the
person or persons so Refusing and him or them Commit
unto the Common goal of the County there to Remain
untill he or they shall pay and satisfie the Several Sum
or Sums whereat he or they are Respectively assessed as
afore To which upon Information given to the Commit Hereof
Testifying the same under my hand and Seal Shall be Your
Dated at Chelmsford the 10th day of November in the
Thirteenth year of his majs Reign Anno Dom 1725

Jon Barrat
Collector

Jovem[r] 1[o] c: 8: 1725 There was Comitted
unto Jonathan Bancroft Constable these follow-
ing Assessments with Warrants annexed to them

First the Town Rate the sum
totall thereof is - - - - 46 03
Secondly an Assessment on the East
Precinct the sum totall thereof is 248 16

Thirdly the Province Assessment
the Sum totall thereof is 80 01

Jovem[r] 1[o] c: 18[th]: 1725 There was
Committed to Timothy Gardner Constable
of the Island of Jesima Certain a-
Province Tax or Assessment the
sum totall thereof is - - - 80 07

and Also a Town Assessment the
Sum totall thereof is - - - 45 06
with a Warrant annexed thereto

Chelmsford September 20 1725

At a meeting of the Select-men of the Town of Chelmsford it Was Ordered that Lt William Fletcher Town Treasurer Should Receive the Town Assessment which was made to Defray the Charges arising within the Sd Town (Viz) of Jonathan Barrat Constable for by Six pounds three Shillings and four pence as by warrant to be paid on or before the first Day of January 1725/6 And of Timothy Spaulding Constable for by five pounds Six Shillings and Two pence to be paid as by Warrant on or before the first Day of January 1725/6

And the Sd Treasurer is Hereby Ordered to pay out of the Sd Assessment unto those persons to whome the Town is in Debted the following Sums of money (Viz)

To mr Thomas Prink for keeping a grammer Schoole in the Sd Town three quarters of a Year which began the 22 Day of February 1724/5 and ended the 28th of Decemr following	34	10	00
To Samuel Fould for his subsistance from the 23d of February 1724/5 to the 30 Day of Decemr following according to Town Vote	06	12	00
To Joseph Adams for plank for the great Bridge	00	12	00
to Benj Adams Junr for plank and work at Billirica Bridge	00	12	00

To Capt Jonathan Richardson
for service about Billerica Bridge — 00 03

To Thomas Parker for work at Billerica
Bridge — — — — — — 03

To Thomas Read Constable for the
town Rate of Alexander Ory ndgetable 00 11

To Ephraim Cuff for subsisting
Thomas Read as by the selectsmen order
from the 13th of sept 1725 until
the 22 of nobem following at
four shillings pr week — — 02 00

To Josiah Fletcher Treasurer
for the year 1724 for money
that was ordered to him to pay
and the money was not gettable of
Constables & overplus in there
Counting assessments — — 04 10

1725/6 Jan 27 To mr John Bradish for mending the
meeting hous glass in the year 1724
as per his accompt — 02 00

To mr Stephen Peirce for two Dayes service
in being Representitive at the may Session in
1725 and two Dayes Travell — — — 00 16

To Enign Samuel Chamberlain for serving
as Representitive in the great and gene-
all Assembly from the 30th of June 1725 to
the 24th of the month and from the 3d
of November to the seventeenth Day of
January following four Dayes being abated
for my absent — — — 17 08

To John Davis for the Rate of Ostemias
Pace in the year 1722 not gettable — 00 07

To Benjamin Adams in lieu Expended
about the Rates Province Rates in Drawing
the warrants and in Swearing to
Returnow and warents to warn persons
out of Town and sundry other writings 01 11

To Benj. Adams for serving as Clerk 00 10

To mr John Richardson for making the
Towe — — — — — — — — — — — 00 06
To Mrs Hasting Slatter for making the Province Taxe — 00 06 00
To Ensign Samuel Chamberlain for making the
Province Taxe — — — — — — — — 00 06 00
To Dr John Cannings for making the Province tax 00 06 00
To Ensign Chamberlain for money expended
at the Genll Sessions of the peace for exhi
bing a petition Relating to Thomas Read
and for a Copie of D petition and for a
Copy of a petition Relating to a high way
Exsited in Concord — — — — — — — 00 01 00
To Ebenezer Foster for Clerking the meetin
hous from June 15: 1724 to the fifteenth
of June following — — — — — 02 05 00
To Moses Greaves for being Imployed for
his Son Silas Keyes to the province Tax
and County for the year 1725 — — — 13 00
To the County Treasurer to answer the County
Rate for the year 1725 — — — — 10 00 09
To the Revd mr Timothy Edwards for
his quarters sallery from the 25: of
January 1724/5 unto the 25 of aprill
following — — — — — — 25 00 00

To mr Thomas Frink for Keeping a
Schoole in the Town from the 25 Day
of Decemr: 1725: unto the 9th Day of
aprill following allowed for one Quarter 11 10 00
To mr Thomas Frink for Keeping Schole one Quarter
a year which began the 4th of aprill 1726 and
Ended the 25: Day of July following 11 10 00
To mr John Prentis for making the invoice
ing rate in the year 1725 according to — 02 00 00
To Timothy Spaulding for the Rates of the
Inhabitants of the Rocky Land who were not
Settable & Exempted by the Genll Court — 04 16 02
To Peter Rule of Benjamin Blodgett for his Rate not
Settable — — — — — — — — 00 13 04
To [illegible] for Collecting [illegible]
over Rates — — — — — — — — 00 19 04
To Collect Money [illegible] for [illegible]
[illegible] — — — — — — — — 04

At a Gen[ll] Town meeting of the freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford Regularly assembled May the 13: 1726

1 That Leiu[t] Benjamin Adams be the mod[r] for this meeting

2 That there be Ninety pounds granted for the defraying the necessary Charges arising within the Town

3 That the Matter Respecting the Proprietors of Land at Wamasset purchace be left in proportion of the Town Rate in the year 1727 be managed by the Representative in the Gen[ll] Court

4 That the Select men in behalf of the Town make an Address to the Court that the Town may be discharged of the High-way lying over Mudmeadow by Jonathan Hartwells

5 That Ensign Samuell Chamberlain be the Representative for to Represent the Town in the Great and Gen[ll] Court at Boston

At a meeting of the freeholders and other Inhabitants of Chelmsford Regularly assembled July the 22: 1726 Was Chosen for a grand Jury for the Superior Court at Cambridge & chose and for a Petit Jury for s[d] Court Benjamin Robbins

to serve on the said Jury for Superior Court
Nathaniel Wilderwood John Parker
Samuel Chamberlain & Joseph Parker

Stamford June the 1[illegible] 172[illegible]

Att a Meeting of the Selectmen [illegible]
the [illegible] Precincts for [illegible]
As followeth

To Thomas Rider Surveyor [illegible]
[illegible] John Road from [illegible] to the Cedar Swamp
way from prots Road to Littletons and from Thomas
Peters to Ephraim Fletchers jun and from Thomas Bogets
jun Easterly to the precinct Line [illegible]
to the Precint Line with all the men in that part of the
Precinct: Cut the way from Thomas Robins pond meadow
to Burns Excepted and the new way by Hart wells Excepted

To Joseph Fletcher Surveyor from Thomas Heilds to Ephraim
Fletchers jun and to Thomas Blogetts jun and East to the Precinct
meeting House and East from the precinct Line and all
northerly of Sd Line in the precint and on Grotton Road
from John Reads to Grotton Line the men Excepted from
John Reads to Grotton Line

To Benjamin Adams jun Surveyor from East meadow
to the Mill and thence upon Each Road as far as John
Burges and John Robins and all Easterly of the Road from
Sd Robins to Joseph Barretts jun and thence by the Road
that Leads by Stratons to Sd Burges and all the men to
perform Sd Work that are upon the Severall Roads Except
Joseph Barett jun Nat Harwood and Thomas Barrett

To Pellatiah Adams Surveyor from John Robbins the
Road that Leads to Joseph Barretts and thence the path
that Leads to Isaac Bysham and all Westward within the
East Precint with the men that Dwell in Sd Circumference
to Do the Work / and also that part of the Right way
from Thos Robins pond meadow to Burns the men Excepted

To John Parker Surveyor upon the Country Road from
Billerica Line to golden Cove and to Cross Bridge and to
Isaac Bysham and as Farr as Joseph Warrens jun with the
men on Sd Roads to Do the Work

To William Langley Surveyor all the Ways in the East precinct
from Cross Bridge and the men on the Severall Roads to
Do the work and also the Road from the
widow Perhams to the West precinct Line
and the men on the Sd Road to Do the Sd work

Rehoboth ffebruary the 10: 1725

At a Meeting of the Committee of the Eas
precinct of the So Town It was Ordered
that Lt William Sutliff Treasurer of
the So Precinct South Receive the
Assessment that Was Made to pay Mr Sam
Bigsallow and to pay the West precinct
for there part of the meeting hous in th
East precinct as pr the Gen Courts o
and to Defray the Nessesary Charges and
Within the So Precinct Viz: To Re
of Jonathan Barrett Collector of the So
Precinct the Sum of Two Hundred
Two Eighteen pounds Sixteen Shillings an
four pence — — — — —

And the So Treasurer is Hereby Ordere
to pay out the Assessment According t
form and Manner following: Viz:

To the Revd mr Samson Stodard
for his Quarters Sallery from the 25:
of aprill: 1725: to the 25 of July
following — — — — — 25 00

To the Revd mr Samson Stodard
for his quarters sallery which began
the 25: of July 1725 and Ended the
the 25 of october following — 25 00

To the Revd mr Samson Stodard
for his Quarters sallery which began
the 25: of october 1725: and Ended
the 25 of January following — 25 00

[illegible] Sutliff for Cash [illegible] 16 06

To Benjamin Adams for Three Dayes
in going Down to the Gen[ll] Court to waitt
upon the Comittee in there making there
Report Concerning the Two precincts
with the Lines and Fences ——— 01 12 06
To Benjamin Adams for Two Dayes
to attend on the Comittee in Runing
the Dividing Line between the p[r]ecincts
00 09 00
To Benjamin Adams for Drawing the
Single Rale and Recording the Rales for
the precinct ——— 00 12 00
To Benjamin Adams for a platt of
the Town ——— 00 10 00
To mr John Richardson for one Day
about the Runing the Dividing Line 00 04 06
To Ensign Chamberlain for Three
Dayes in going Down to the Gen[ll] Court
for to wait on the Comittee in there
wait on the Comitte in there making
there Report Concerning the Two precincts 01 12 06
To Ensign Chamberlain for Two Dayes
in Runing the Dividing Line ——— 00 09 00
To Ensign Chamberlain for Howard
the platt of the Town ——— 00 05 00
To Moses Breaw for being over Rates
for Jonas Reyes Read ——— 00 12 03
To [illegible] for [illegible]
[illegible] 25 00 00
To Ebenezer Foster for [illegible] the meeting
Hous & Ringing the Bell from the 15: of
June 1725 unto the 15: of June following 02 05 00
To Jonathan Barett Collector for the year
1725 for [illegible] Rates which was not gotten
of the Inhabitants of the Neck Land 00 01 11
To the next precinct to pay them
for there part in the Last mading
Rate as by Court order ——— 10 00 00

[illegible] Annual Town Meeting of the Freeholders
Inhabitants of the Town of Richmond
Regularly Warned Holden the first 1785 [illegible]

Voted That Lt Benjamin Adams be moderator for the
Meeting

Voted That there be five Select-men to serve the Town
the year Ensuing

Then the Town Proceeded to the Choice of Officers as
followeth

For Select-men

1 Lt Benjamin Adams
2 Benjamin Chamberlain
3 Mr Nathan Richardson
4 Sert Joshua Fletcher
5 Ensign Joseph Keyes

For Town Clerk Benjamin Adams
For Town Treasurer Lt William Fletcher
For Grand Juror Deacon William Blagget

Voted That the Constables ships be divided by the Precinct
and that there be Two Constables in the East precinct
and one in the West precinct

For Constables

Thomas Barratt Richard Severy & Joseph Butterfield

Voted That the Ordinary Town officers be Chose by
nomination and Hand Vote

For Surveyors of Highways
Benjamin Hewins
Edward Frasier
Jeremiah Procter

For Surveyors of Highways
Benj. Adams jun.
Sellatiah Adams
Thomas Ridder
John Parker
William Langley
Joseph Fletcher

For fence-viewers	For Hogreves
James Dutton	Ebenezer Harris
Aquilla Underwood	Jonathan Fletcher
John Pudge	John Procter jun
Moses Keyes jun	John Swallow
Richard Kilbreth	Ezekiel Keyes

For Hawards or field Drivers

Moses	Greves
Peter	Procter jun
Samuel	Barron
Joseph	Whetney
Robert	Conant

That the Schoole be Kept Eight months in the East Precinct and four months in the west Precinct, and that the Select men order the Time for Each Precinct - - -

On the 8th day abovesd Lt Benjamin Adams had the Town Oath administred to him by Oliver Whittiges Esqr on the Day abovesd Nathaniell Barrett had the Constables Oath administred to him by olliver Whitting Esqr

March the seventh 1725/6 Richard Severy and Joseph Butterfield had the Constables oath administred to them by the Select men

On the 9th Day Lt William Clarke was sworn to the office of a Town Treasurer

on the 9th Day Benjamin Howard Edward Carter Joseph Procter Nathaniell Adams John Parker William Longley Jabez Pudge Richard Kilbreth Ebenezer Harris John Howard Ezekiel Keyes moses greves Peter procter jun Samuel Barron and Joseph Whetney were sworn to there faithfull discharge of their severall respective offices before the Select-men

The Precinct Rate made for the
[illegible] 1726 and Committed to [illegible] Constable
[illegible] following. - October the 3d: 1726

To [illegible] Barrett Constable 55 0

[illegible] 1 10

[illegible] 16 10

To Thomas Barrett Constable 34 03
To Richard Stevens Constable 36 11
Joseph Butterfield Constable 30 11

The Eastely Precinct Rate made
and Committed to Each Collector on
the Day above mentioned as follows

[illegible] 52 15

[illegible] 54 19

[illegible]

At a Lawful Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Eastely Precinct in Portsmouth on the 11th day of October 1726 it was voted by the Committee of the Eastely Precinct aforesaid that the Treasurer of the said Precinct should Receive of the Collectors of the assessment that was made to pay the Ministers Salery and to Defray the necessary Charges (Viz.) Of Receive of Thomas Barrett Collector the Sum of 52 15
and of Richard Stevens Collector the Sum of 54 19

[illegible] to the Treasurer Hereby ordered to pay out the Assessment as he shall Receive orders from the Committee

To the Reverend Mr. Shurtleff for his quarters Salery which began the 25th of April and ends the 25th following 25 00

To the Revrd mr Samson Stodard for
his Quarter Sallary from the 25 of July
1726 to the 25 of October following 25 00 00
To the Revrd mr Samson Stodard for
his Quarter Sallary which became
the 25 of October 1726 & ended
the 25 of January following . . 25 00 00
To Jonathan Barrett Collector of
the East precinct for the precinct
Rate of Henry Wright not gettable 00 16 03
to Ephriam Cary for being over Rated
in the precinct Rate . . . 00 01 00
to William Bradish for Erasing the
Names of the Voting Votes . . 02 14 00
To the Revrend Mr Samson Stodard for
his Quarters Sallery from the 25 of
January 1726 to the 25 of april following 25 00 00
To Benj Adams for Drawing the single
Rate at home & Recording the precinct Rate
& four Warrants for Rates . . . 15 00
to two warrants for Warning the meint
meeting 01 00
to writing orders to the Treasurer and
upon the book 00 12
To Lt Fletcher for money paid to
John Bradish for mending the
meeting house in the year 1727 . 02 00 00
To Lt Fletcher for Erasing a Treasurer
for the East precinct for the year 1725 &
1726 . . . . . 01 10 00

February the 10 1727/8
Then Reckoned with Lt William Fletcher
Treasurer of the East precinct in Rehoboth
town for the years 1725 & 1726
and there Remained Due from Lt
Fletcher to Ballance a compt . . 00 09 03

Compt Towne ye 14 172

At a Meeting of the Selectmen it is
Ordered that Lt William Chandler
& Mr Ebenezer Hoyt Receive the Mony
which was made by the Selectmen at the
Rate for defraying the Necessary Charges arising with
in the Town (Viz)

Richard	Emery	Constable	36 01
Thomas	Barrett	Constable	31 03
Joseph	Smith	Constable	30 11

To be paid by Treasurer by Warrant by
the first of December next ensuing
and to pay out as by Order from the
Selectmen — Viz:

To Ensign Samuel Chamberlain for Service
of Representitive in a Session began May 25th
and ended the 28 of June following with Travel
and also another Session in April Begun 4 May
and another Session in August 1726 being 16 D
Some time Deducted for being absent 07 08

To Samuell Gould for his Subsistance
from the first Day of January 1725/6
to the 27. Day of November following 07 01

To Ensign Chadwin 25..mm for his
Selectmens Expense in the year 1725 02 12

To Zachary Emery for Funding Rates
not Gottable Viz the Town Rate of
William Cunnise — — — — 00 10

To Samuell Barron for being over-
Rated — — — — 00 [illegible]

To Zachary Emery for Drawing a petition
for a Highway to Concord 00 02

To Capt Whitting mr Bowmans &
Capt Goryants to Veiwing the Way
aforesaid much — 03 0

To Samuell Gould for his Subsistance
from the 27 of November 1726 to ye
first of January following — 00 [illegible]

To Capt William Richardson
for attending three Courts at Concord Court
relating to the high-way over Stinnets
meadow 01 00 00
To Capt Richardson for one Journey
to Charlestown Relating &c Highways
by the Selectmen &c — — — 00 14 00
To Mr Isaac Richardson
Keeping School in Chelmsford
quarter of a year which began
the seventh day of November
1726 and Ended the Eleventh Day
of January following — — — 11 01 00
To Josiah Richardson for time
Expended and money in Letting
Mr Isaac Richardson the School
master — — — — — 00 10 00
To Joseph Stephens Peice for
mending the the Wall of the
burying place in the year 1721 — 2 —
To the County Treasurer to
answer his Warrant bearing
Date the Sixth Day of September 08 11 4
1726
To Ephraim Coy for being over
Rated in the year 1725 in the
Town and province Rate — 00 02 07
To John Parker for the Select mens Expense
in the year 1726 — — 05 05 07
To Colo Parker for Entertainment the
Comittee for viewing Stinnets Way 01 13 09
To Richard Stevens for Conveying Mary
Blanchard to Dunstable — 00 07 00
To Jonathan Barrett for Returning
the precept and warning Jeremy
miller out of Town —
To Thomas Barratt Constable for
Returning the precept in 1726 — 00 01 00
To Thomas Barratt Constable for Convey
Jeremiah Miller out of town and his attendance 00 12 00
To Eighteen men for Entertainment the
Comittee appointed to view the highway
leading to Concord — — 00 14 8

Order of the persons
Receipts - name

To John Spalding for time and
horses travelle and Expence — — 00 03 0
to wait on mr Frink Home.
To Lt Jon Barron for the select mens
Expence in the year about — 01 03 0
To Benjamin Adams for money paid to
the Smiths for veiwing the highway
petitiond for to Concord
To Benj. Adams for money paid to Lt Jonas
Heald for veiwing a highway
To Benjamin Adams for money paid to
mr Hoar for the use of Thos Smith petitioner
To Benj. Adams for money paid to Jonas
Coney miller out of Town
To money Expended to insure the Towns
presentment
To Benjamin Adams for time Expended in Runn-
ing the line between the miller lot and
the two highways and Drawing petitions for the
Courts and time about Getting a Warrant to
the miller out of Town in about the first
case for Recording to Compleating the Bridle Path
and Returning to the proving thereof and
Entring the Presentment and Attorney for both
to Convey mr Frink Home and two Days to Lay
out Bridle path and Recording them all
to time in
to Entering the presentment at Court
To Serving of Town Clerk for 3 year
To Moses Parker for Running a little a Line
To Benj. Adams for making the moving
To John Richardson for time and money
to Benj. Adams for time and Expence
Reading
To Lt Jonas Chamberlain for his and Ensey
Reeves Concord Line to making the province
for 3 Days and half for a Copy of the Record
To Recording the presentment at Court for
millers to be moved out of Town and Laying
out the Bridle Path
and money Expended about the Highway
To Benj. Adams for money Expended at Littleton
about the Highway
To Lt John Littleton for a Copy of the
petition to be Discharged of the Highway over
Nonacoicus and notifying the Committee to
veiwe the way petitioned for to Concord
To time spent Committee all Victuals and
Drinking Bridle path and Little
Time 2 Days and half to about the province
Lines — and

did for entertaining the Com[mit]tee at his house attending on them and for Laying out high ways & Lanes

To Mr Joseph Underwood to fullfill & compleat his wages for serving as Representitive for the Town — — 02 15 03

To Mr William Fletcher for a Journey & horse to pay the County Rate for 1725 — 03 04 00

To Lt William Fletcher for a Journey & horse to pay the County Rate for 1725 — 00 03 00

note that there is five pound twelve shillings to be Repaid by Ensign Chamberlain out of the eight pound eight shillings he Received for service at the ma[y] for service at the Gen[er]al Court in 1726 —

To Lt William Fletcher for [illegible] 00 07 01

February the 27: 1726 } Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer You are Hereby to pay to Jonathan Hartwell Benjamin Robbins and William Procter the Sum of Three pounds and Ten Shillings for making the new Caseway according to the Bargain and to the Acceptance of the Selectmen — — — 12 10 00

Entred february 28 1726 per Jer. Adams Town Clerk

Jer. Adams
Joseph Keyes
Samuel Chamberlain
Joshua Fletcher
} Selectmen of Lexington

Ebenezer Wright Clerk Samll Chamberlain Collector William Fletcher Constable all for the west precinct were sworn before the Selectmen of Lexington March the 27: 1727

February the 12: 1727 then Reckoned with Mr William Fletcher Town Treasurer for the Town for the years 1725 & 1726 and made an Even Ballance — —

February the 14th 1726/7

At a meeting of the Select men [illegible] as
directed Mr William Thatcher Town
Treasurer did Receive the following
sums of money which were Due unto the
Town [illegible] from the
Executors of the Loan money the summs
of the Loan money for the year 1725 16 14
and for the Interest of the Loan money
from the 8th day of December 1725 unto the
9th day of may 1726 being five months 0 6 12
And of William Read for Charge Relating
to his Father as by Bill from
Mr Read ——— 6 00 08
And from Josiah Chamberlain for money
he Rec'd for service at the Gen'll Court
in the may Session to Read that Mr
Chamberlain by a new act was paid out
of the province Treasury ——— 0 6 12

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Five sums above mentioned together
with the Allowances of the years 1725
and 1726 amounted to the Summ of 222

[illegible] Summ of Twenty pounds
[illegible] they were Committed to the
Treasurer as by order to the Treasurer
forty Shilling ordered to Robin in Croft
Excepted Debts will Read Entred in to
Book to Satisfy Croft ——— 203 15

At a General Town Meeting of the
and of the Inhabitants
Regularly Warned the
That Benj. Adams be the Represen
for the year ensuing
That Benj. Adams be the Moder
& Meeting
That Constables be and hereby are
to Assess the Rates (Taxes arising in
town
That Benj. Adams jun be a Surveyor
of Highways
That John Pullam Gleason be allowed thirty
Shillings for serving the office of Town Clerk
in the year 1725 & in the year 1726

on the Day above Named (Viz
of John Fletcher to Ebenezer Hancock
for the West precinct for the ensuing
Committed unto him by
Benj. Adams jun
the surveyors and Return made to him
by the Town Clerk

[illegible]

on the Day aforesaid it was ordered that

[illegible]

November the 28 : 1726

At a Meeting of the Selectmen they agreed with Benjamin Chamberlain for keeping Elizabeth Wa[illegible] for one week past and also to provide such entertainment as is necessary for her in her Circumstances and Bring in his accompt unto the Selectmen of the Co[illegible]

Chelmsford April 25 : 1726

Att a meeting of the Selectmen it was ordered that Ensign Samuel Chamberlain and Zachariah Emery meet with those whome the Selectmen have appointed for the Perambulation of the Line between Concord and Chelmsford on April 26 Current and joyn with them in that affair — — — —

And that Lt Benjamin Adams and Moses Parker meet and joyn with those whome the Selectmen of Billerica have appointed to Perambulate the Lines Betwen Billerica and Chelmsford on the 29: of April Current and joyn with them in that affair — —

The Selectmen of Groton Dunstable & Littleton are notified for the Perambulating of the Several Lines between the Two Towns and Chelmsford on the Eleventh of may next Ensuing and Lt Joshua Fletcher and Aaron Keyes appointed to meet them and attend that Service — — —

Att a meeting of the Selectmen May 2: 1726 it was ordered that Benjamin Adams in behalf of the Selectmen at the ye[ar] Session of the Court to Get Liberty at Cambridge to answer the petition for the Towns not making the High-way over Andrews meadow - and also to procure an Act Reviving the High-way petitioned for from Concord to Chelmsford

July the 19: 1726 att a meeting of the Selectmen of Chelmsford it was ordered that Inasmuch as Jeremiah Miller has been duly warned out of this Town and Doth still Continue in the Town Contrary to the Law in that behalf made and provided — That there be a Warrant obtained from a Justice of the peace to convey the said Jeremiah Miller to the Town where he had his Last Residence he such Warning was given as above mentioned —

At a Meeting of the Inhabitants of the East Parish
of the Town of Scituate Regularly Assembled March
28 : 1726.

Voted That Lt Benjamin Adams be Moderator for
this Meeting

Voted That Lt Benjamin Adams be the Precinct Clerk

Voted That Lt Benjamin Adams Mr John Richards &
Ensign Samuel Chamberlain be the Committee to manage
the Prudential affairs in the E. Precinct - -

Voted That Lt Benjamin Adams Mr John Richards &
Ensign Samuel Chamberlain be the Assessors

Voted That Lt William Fowler be the Precinct Treasurer

Voted That Thomas Barrell and Richard Lewis be
the Collectors for the Precinct - - -

Voted That there be assessed Hundred and Ten Pounds
Rate on the E. Precinct to support the Ministry
and to defray the necessary Charges arising within
the E. Precinct for the year Ensuing - - -

Voted That Mr John Richardson Lt Benjamin Adams &
Ensign Samuel Chamberlain be Desired Hereby
for their Necessary Time and Charge about the Precinct
affairs

At a meeting of the Selectmen Aug.t 30 1720
they agreed with Mr Thomas Trink to keep a Grammar
School in Chelmsford for one quarter of a year from
the Fourth Day of April Ensuing for which
he is to have Eleven pounds & Ten
shillings provided that if Mr Trink has a Call
to preach at any place he shall be Limited
if he Incline -

as Witness our hands

Thomas Trink

Rec.d Sam.l
John Richardson
Samuell Chamberlin
Joshua Fletcher
Joseph Keyes

Selectmen

Chelmsford August: 22: 1720.
At a meeting of the Selectmen it was ordered
that Josiah Richardson provide a Sutable person
to be a School master in Chelmsford

It was Ordered that Lieut Samll Chamberlin
appear in behalf of the Selectmen at the
next Court of the peace to be holden at Concord on the
Last Tuesday of August Current to Answer the Presentment
for the Town not Repairing the Highway over
Stedmark meadow and also to bring forward the
petition of the Selectmen in behalf of the Town
that the Town may be Discharged of the Said way

At a Generall Meeting of the Freeholders
& Inhabitants of the Precinct of the Town
of Cambridge Regularly Warned & held the 7th day of
June Domini 1727 for the Choice of Officers and
other matters Contained in the Warrant for Calling
the Meeting

Voted that Mr Samll Hooper be Moderator for sd meeting

Voted that Mr Benjamin Adams Capt Jona Clark
& Lt William Fletcher be the Comittee to
manage the Precinct affair

That Lt Benjamin Adams Capt Clark & Lt
William Fletcher be the Assessors

That Lt Benj. Adams be the precinct Clerk

That Samll Barrett be the precinct Treasurer

That Samll Butterfield Constable & Ebenezer Jones
Constable be the Collectors for the precinct

That Jonathan Barrett Collector for the year 1726
be and is hereby granted forty shilling for Collecting
the precinct Rates in the year 1726 That
the Genll Court take of the damages afsessed
each inhabitants that Barrett be Exempted & the
Collecting That the Rest to have but 35 Pence

That Thomas Barrett & Richard Devens Collectors
for the year 1726 be and hereby is Granted
Fifty Shillings Each for their service in
Collecting the Rates for sd year

That Lt William Fletcher be & hereby is granted
20 shillings for his Treasurer for the meeting
the year 1725 And Ten shillings for being
Treasurer for sd precinct in the year 1726

That Vote be and hereby is Ordered & granted
granted to Lt Fletcher for Entring and Keeping the
precinct Charges in the Town
Book

That the Selectmen be and hereby are impowered
to act as they shall think proper in petitioning the
Genll Court for the Obtaining that part of
the afsessment that the Wainscott Inhabitants
are Exempted from the sd precinct being Due as
an Act Toward the 100 pounds ordered by the Genll
Court to be raised for the Repair of the meeting
house the Committee to take present Care to Repair the
Seats and Glass thereto belonging

That the Selectmen with the rest meeting
house Committee Lay a Convenient Rate
for the Repair of the meeting house

of Sudbury to keep a grammar School and
to be paied
his Reward Twenty two pounds and ten
as Witness our hands

Thomas Frink
Jur.

Benj. Adams
John Richardson
Stephen pairce
Samuell Farnsworth
Jonas Clark

At a meeting of the Selectmen of the
Town of Chelmsford February the 14: 1725
it was ordered that Ofsa[illegible] Fort Sessions further
and Benj. Adams be committed (to act)
Capt Bowman Esqr and Capt Whitman the Civil
powers who are a Comittee appointed by the
Gen[eral] Sessions holden at Concord for the East Precinct
of August 1725 to View the high way laid out
for [illegible] from Concord to Chelmsford
and it is ordered that Zachy Emery provide
entertainment for the Courts Comittee and
Jury at Lieut Fletcher and Benj. Adams upon the

Chelmsford December the 12: 1726
At a Meeting of the Selectmen it was
ordered that mr Isaac Richardson Schoolmaster
Remove from the West Precinct and Keep
School in in the School House by the East precinct
meeting house for the Remainder part of
Present Quarter

At a Generall Town meeting of the Town and other Inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford Regularly Assembled on the Seventh and Eighth Days of March Anno Domini 1726 they proceeded in the Choice of Officers as followeth

1 voted That John Parker be the Grand Jurer for the ensuing

2 voted That Lt Benjamin Adams be Moderator for the Meeting

3 voted That there be Five Selectmen for the ensuing

for Selectmen
1 Lt Benjamin Adams
2 Lt William Fletcher
3 Capt Jonas Clark
4 Sert Joshua Fletcher
5 Deacn John Cummings

4 voted That Lt Benjamin Adams

5 voted That Samuel Bowers be Town Treasurer

6 voted That there be three Constables Chosen viz Two in the East precinct and one in the West precinct

7 voted That Gershom Procter Samuel Butterfield and Samuel Chamberlain junr be the Con

8 voted That the following Town officers be Chosen by nomination and hand Vote

9 voted That Lt John Robbins and Zachary Lawrence be Overseers of the Poor

10 voted That Town Surveyors of High

Nathaniel Emery
Jacob Chamberlain
William Fletcher junr
Moses Parker
Josiah Fletcher
Jeremiah Bowers

11 voted That Thomas Read

Nathaniel Richardson
Robert Richardson
Nathaniel Adams
Josiah Fletcher
Joseph Warren junr

Sworn

Cler Ffence Veiwers
Samuel Butterfield
Aquilla Underwood
Joseph Kemp
John Robbins
Jonathan Minot

Sworn

Cler Market
Robbert Leonard
William Bridgett jnr
Thomas Parker
William Thatcher jnr
James Fawn
Joseph Barrett jnr

Capt Robbert Rindge
& William Greene
Thos Field Drivers

William Thatcher jnr
Jonathan Thatcher

Ebenezer Parker
& James Hildreth

Voted that the Selectmen Petition the Genll Court that the Inhabitants of Pigs Land Cutts Pinnacle may pay there Due Proportion which they were assest in Chelmsford Town Rate in the year 1725: and that the Representitive that now is or shall be for the sd Town when such petition is prefer shall manage the affair in the Genll Court -

Voted that as it was Voted at a Town meeting on the 7th day of march 1722/3 That Samuel Gould should have three shillings pr week untill such time as it should be altered by a Vote again - That the sd Persian is taken of and the sd Samuel Gould is to Repair unto the overseers of the poor and there to be imployed and provided for in - Whatsoever is Necessary at there discretion

Voted that the Schoole be Kept in the three parts of the Town Viz in the East part of the Ley precinct & north part of sd precinct and in the west precinct in Equallity for time in each place, And that the Selectmen order the money for the Circulation

Sworn Sworn Jam[s] Chamberlain & Jno Butterfield in Town Meeting had the Constables oath administred unto each of them on the day & yeer. Foams had the Town Clerks oath committed to him

Chosen ... the 27: 1725/1

... the Selectmen is agreed with Benjamin Ro... Jonathan Hastwell & Nathan Porter to make a ... new Causeway ... the ... Town ... and ... made in the ... Town ... by the ... agreement ... bearing Date Novemr the 28: 1726 Reference thereunto being ... written at large upon ... Parchment ... the ... Causeway ... to be ... that it is done according to Bargain and we pay ... and accordingly have ordered the Town ... to pay Twelve pounds ... unto the above ... Undertakers according ... agreement

Benj. Adams
Joseph Keyes
Samuel Chamberlain
Selectmen

Entred February the 28: 1726/7
per Benj. Adams
Town Clerk

... month the 13: 1726 ...

... Cognizances
... Serj Conant
... Bigelow jun
... Thomas Parker
... Hall ... Esqr
... Burn
... Worrall
... were Sworn

... the Selectmen
... oath ... the ... Constables

... Surveyors
... Joseph Whitte...
... Ebenezer ...
... Jacob Bylam
... Wm Fletcher jun 3d
... Archibald Bowers
... Wm Read
... Wm Richardson
... were Sworn

... Field Drivers
... Hall ... jun
... Benja ... Parker
... were Sworn

... Surveyors of Lumber
... Abraham Bylam
... Joseph Fletcher
... Joseph Adams
... took the ... oath

... Hall ... Brattle Esqr
... Aquilla Underwood
... Joseph Adams
... Robert ... Richardson
... Wm Fletcher
... Field ... were Sworn

... Sam ... Hall ... Esqr ...

Chelmsford December the 28 1726

at a Meeting of the Select men they taking into Consideration that the Town stands presented at the Gen[ll] Sessions of the peace for not putting in Repair the new Road laid over Sadmuck meadow by Jonathan Hartwells Dwelling house to Littleton and also with the Advise of the Courts Committee appointed to view the same Have agreed with Benjamin Robbins Jonathan Hartwell & Nathan Procter Inhabitants of s[d] Chelmsford to make a good Causeway over Sadmuck meadow in s[d] Road in Manner following (That is to say) of suitable Timber from Eight inches to Twelve in Girth or five or six inches over where they may be Proper and Twelve foot in length and the Great timber to be laid in the most miery meadow and to Have two water Courses made in the most Convenient places for water to pass and the whole Causeway to be well Covered with gravell all which work is to be well performed according to the true intent and meaning of from of a Convenient Season of the year will allow and to the acceptance of the Select men or such persons as the Select men and the s[d] undertakers shall chose. And the Select men in behalf of the Town do engage that when the work is performed according to the true intent and meaning that the s[d] Benjamin Robbins Jonathan Hartwell and Nathan Procter shall be paid out of the Treasury the Sum of Twelve pounds in Silvers and for the true performance of the above s[d] agreement the Select men and the s[d] Benjamin Robbins Jonathan Hartwell and Nathan Procter Have hereunto set their hands the Day and year above mentioned

Benjamin Robbins
Jonathan Hartwell
Nathan Procter

Benj. Adams
Joseph Reed
John Richardson
Samuell Chamberlin
Select men
for Town Chelmsford

Boston Augt 1726

Received of the Treasurer of Cincinnatus by mr Josiah Fletcher Eighty pounds six shillings the first fifth of the £5000 Loan

pr Jos Allen Brown

£ 80:06:00

August 23 1726 Entred pr Benj. Adams Town Clerk

Chelmsford June ye: 17: 1722/3

Then Received of Benjamin Adams Edward Spaulding
and Joshua Fletcher Trustees for the Town of Chelmsford
part of the fifty thousand pounds Loan Bills the Sum of
Fifteen Pounds Three Shillings and seven
pence for Interest of Said Money for the
Say Received pr Me: Josiah Fletcher of Chelmsford

There is also Eleven Shillings paid out of the above
mentioned Interest for Cutting
Recd March 26: 1724.
pr Benj. Adams Town Clerk

Chelmsford March ye 2d: 1723/4
Then Received of Benjamin Adams Joshua Fletcher
and Edward Spaulding Trustees for the Town's part
of the Fifty thousand Pounds Loan Bills. The Sum of
fifteen pounds fourteen shillings and seven pence
for Interest of Said money for the year past
Say Received by me
Josiah Fletcher
entred march 31st 1723/4
pr Benj. Adams Town Clerk
Town Treasurer
of Chelmsford

Chelmsford June ye: 17: 1725
Then Received of Benj. Adams Edward Spaulding and Joshua
Fletcher Trustees for the Town of Chelmsford part of the
fifty thousand Pounds Loan Bills. The Sum of fifteen pounds
fourteen shillings and seven pence for Interest of the Said
money for the year past: I say Received by me

entred June: 18: 1725
pr Benj Adams
Town clerk
of Chelmsford

Josiah Fletcher
Town Treasurer
of Chelmsford

Chelmsford February the 24: 1726/7

Received of Joshua Fletcher Esqr Town-
Treasurer for Benjamin Adams the Sum
Fifteen pounds fourteen Shillings in Town notes
being that was Due to the Town for the
Interest the Loan money for the year
1725: On the Security above Recited of the
above Joshua Fletcher Esqr Town Treasurer
Benjamin Adams Trustee for fifteen pounds fourteen
Shillings and Eleven pence being what was
Due to the Eighth Town — on account of the Town
money from the Eight Day of June 1725
unto the ninth Day of May following for
five months

Recd by me
William Fletcher

Joshua Fletcher
Town Treasurer
of Chelmsford

Entered February the: 25: 1726/7
per Benj. Adams
Town Clerk

Chelmsford February 24 — 1728/9
Received of Benjamin Adams one of the Trustees
for the Poor part of the Poor 2 pounds 10
the Sum of Fourteen pounds Seven Shillings
Seven pence being the Interest Due to the said
for the year 1727

Recd by me

Samuel Ba
Town Treasu
for the year

Entered February 25 — 1728/9
by Edward Foster Town Clerk

Chelmsford April 12 19: 1424

[illegible] being appointed by the Selectmen to agree with m[r] Isaac Richardson [illegible] Schoolmaster in the [illegible] Town and a Schoolmaster accordingly Have agreed with him to Keep a Grammer School in the Town half a quarter of a year which is to begin on the fourth Day of May next ensuing — for which Terme m[r] Richardson is to Receive pounds [illegible] shillings as his Wages [illegible]

Entred april 20 1424
per Benj Adams
Town Clerk

Benj Adams
Isaac Richardson

At a meeting at the [illegible]
they agreed with m[r] Isaac Richardson
to Keep a grammer school in Chelmsford
one quarter of a year to begin on the
Eleventh Day [illegible] January [illegible]
which terme m[r] Richardson
Eleven pounds

January the 2[d] 1426/4

As Witnes our hands

Benj Adams
Josh Reyes
John Richardson
[illegible] Fletcher

Selectmen
of Chelmsford

on the Day above said
Jeffre Wright standeth justly indebted to the
Commity above said for five hundred pine trees
to improve for the drawing of turpintine
two shillings and sixpence pr hundred as witnis
my hand
John Wright

on the day above said
John Carey standeth justly indebted to the commity
above said for three hundred pine trees to
improve for the drawing of turpintine until
the first day of nouember next at two shilings and
sixpence pr hundred as witnis my hand
his
John C Carey
mark

on the day above said
John Barrit standeth justly indebted unto the
Commity afore said for one hundred and fifty
pine trees to improve for the drawing of
turpintine until the first day of nouember
next att two shilings and sixpence pr hundred
as witnis my hand
his
John B Barrit
mark

on the Day above said
Moses Parker standeth justly indebted unto
the Commity afore said for five hundred pine
trees to improve for the drawing of turpintine
until the first day of nouember next att
two shilings and sixpence pr hundred as witnis
my hand
Moses Parker

on the Day above said
Samll Davis standeth justly indebted unto the
Commity above said for three hundred pine trees
to improve for the drawing of turpintine til
the first day of nouember next att two shilings
and sixpence pr hundred as witnis my hand
his
Samuel S Davis Jnr
mark

on the Day above said
John Brocker Dr to the Commity above said
for fifty pine trees to improve for the drawing
of turpintine until the first day of nouember
next att the rate of two shilings and six pence
pr hundred as witnis my hand
his
John J Brocker
mark

on the day afore said
Joseph Parker Dr to the Commite aforesaid
for three hundred and half of pine trees for
to improve for the drawing of turpintine until
the first day of nouember next at two shilings and
six pence pr hundred his master Moses Parker is
ingaged for the payment of the money aforesaid as
witnesseth Moses Parker

Granville may the 28th 1716

Aaron Parker stands justly Indebted to Stephen p[ar]
Esqr Lieut Jonathan Richardson & Ensigne John
the Comity for the Proprietors of the Common Lands m
(Belonging) for the improvemt of one hundred pine t
first of November Next for drawing turpintine the
of two shillings and six pence as Witness my hand

Aaron Par[ker]

on the day above said
Thomas Robins standeth justly indebted to t
Comunity above said for three hundred and fifty
pine trees to improve for the drawing of pi
viz 4s 8d p[er] noum at the Rate of two shilings and six pence p[er] hund
as witnis my hand

Tho: Robins

on the Day above said
Joseph Barrit standeth justly indebted to t
Comunity above said for three hundred an
ninety nine trees to improve for the draw
of turpintine att the Rate of two shilings viz 4s 8d p[er] noum next
and six pence p[er] hundred as witnes my h

his
Joseph o Barrit
mark

on the Day above said
Zachriah Richardson standeth justly ind
to the Comunity above said for two hundred
trees to improve for the drawing of turpint
viz 4s 8d p[er] noum at the Rate of two shillings and six pence
p[er] hundred as witnis my hand

Zachariah Richardson

on the day above said
Edward Spaulding standeth justly indebted unt
the Comunity above said for two hundred pine
trees to improve for the drawing of turpintin
viz the 4s 8d p[er] noum at two shillings and six pence p[er] hundred as
witnes my hand

Edward Spaulding

Acknowledged September the 24th: 1717
Received of aforesaid Zachariah Richardson the Entirety of the
Consideration in Written Deed

Test Simon
Jeremiah Richardson
Stephen Peirce Senior Comm.

Received of Zachariah Richardson the Entirety of the
Consideration in Written Deed this 24th: day of September 1717. by
me

Test Simon
Stephen Peirce Senior
Lewis Richardson } Comm.

May the 15th 1716 at a meeting of the Proprietors of the
Comon Lands in Chelmsford
Voted to at one mans to the Comite for the Laying out
the second division of Comon
Ephriam Kelgrelly Senor is Chosen for to Lead the
the Comite for Laying out the towns Comon

At a meeting of the Proprietors of the Comon Lands in
Chelmsford January the 4: 1716
Mr Stephen Pierce was Chosen moderator

Billerica ss
be your Justicie
Decem Br 16: 1
[illegible]

Chelmsford Decemr 23: 1721
[illegible] the within mentioned
out of Town with his family

At a Meeting of the Proprietors of the Common Lands in Stamford the 25th day of November Anno Dom 1713 Att a meeting of the Proprietors of Stamford the Proprietors of Stamford Voted that Capt Samuel Adams grants of Land & Meadows in Stamford shall stand for the same Proportion in the Undivided Commons & other Lots shall be for Quantity & Quality

[illegible] meeting of the Proprietors of the Common Lands [illegible] the 14th day of [illegible] Voted that the Proprietors will further make their second division

Voted that Capt Daniel Scofield shall have to measure out to Samuel Holmes Esqr at Cove Island Point

Voted that a County of three men shall be chosen [illegible] the complaints of any that shall be aggrieved [illegible] the Lands [illegible] the second division [illegible] Care of the Bounds limbs and [illegible] to their satisfaction

This meeting adjourned till the first Wednesday in April at ten of the Clock in the fore noone

At a meeting of the Proprietors of the Common Lands in Stamford April the 2d 1716 by adjournment from march the 22d 1716 the the proviso made Choyce of a County to performe the service in the Propriety to wit Daniel Scofield Jonathan Bell Chosen for the first of the County Mr Stephen Peirce and Capt Joseph Selleck men of the County Ensign Holly Chosen the third man in the County a true

At a meeting of the Proprietors of the Common Lands in Stamford Legally warned March ye 15th 1716 Capt Waldron Chosen Moderator

Voted & Ordered that all persons that have [illegible] Lands in Stamford Shall Enter their Names & Number & Bounding & surveying their Lands with the Proprietors Comite viz: Stephen Peirce Senr & Capt Joseph Selleck for the Ensigne Holly that they Lands [illegible] Shall Extend to no more than [illegible] Rod in Length [illegible] Rod in Breadth [illegible] Rod in Length [illegible] Rod in Breadth [illegible] Rod in Length [illegible] Rod in Breadth

August the: 26: 1715 at a meeting of the Proprietors of the Comon Lands in Tishurst the proprietors Voted to Raise money to discharge the Proprietys Debt by Payment Each one four pence pr Acre one Exchange Silver and Voted that money be paid to Capt Ebenezer Parmon by the second day of September Ensuing

at a meeting of the Proprietors of the Comon Lands in Chelmsford on the 30th day of September 1715 this meeting Was adjourned till October the 18th 10 a clock in the day October the 18th 1715 this meeting was adjourned to Thursday the first of November 1715 at Eight a clock in the forenoon this meeting adjourned to Tuesday the 15th of November prsuant at Nine a clock in the day November the 15th 1715 by a Summons

Chelmsford March the 20th 1715/16

the Proprietors of Comon Lands in Chelmsford Voted and Ordered that Joseph Adams Junr and Joseph Adams Jun Shall have Liberty to Lay out Each of them one Acre and a half of Land to be Laid out according to the Vote of the Proprietors of Comon Lands in Chelmsford and to Give an Account of the Same to the Proprietors Clerk for the time being in order to Record the Same and the Said Joseph Adams Junr and Joseph Adams Jun Shall Pay to the Proprietors Clerk for the time being for Recording the Same Two pence

At a meeting of the Proprietors of the Common
land in Chatham march the 4th 1718
the Proprietors made Choyce of Elisha Bassett
to be the Proprietors Clerk
Willam Hatches Jr Chosen to be added to the Com
appointed to lay out the Comon Land
Voted that upon Request of five of the proprie
the proprietors Clerk shall take a lay
meeting

Recevd of Lt Fletcher Treasurer the
full and just sume of Twenty pounds in
in the full of my Salary for the year past
Say Recevd by me Sampson Stoddard
Chelmsford aprel the 16: 1711

Recevd of Lieut Fletcher Treasurer the full
and just sume of Seventy four pounds in part
of the full of my Salary for the last year
I say Recevd by me
Sampson Stoddard

Chelmsford February
the 15th: 1712

Recevd pr Thos Barron Clerk march
the 3: 1712

Chelmsford February the 13th 1712
Recevd with William Fletcher Treasurer
Taylor and Remain Due from
Fletcher to the Towne fourteen
pounds Eighteen Shillings and five Pence
two Pounds five shilling of the above sd is to
from Constable Taylor by a bill under his hand

William Fletcher Towne Treasurer Taylor
Towne on a Count of Lieut Fletcher Recevd
the sume of Eight Pounds ten shillings
and two Pence

Recevd pr Lieut Fletcher Treasurer Taylor
for the Towne a sum of Twenty pounds
by me
Sampson Stoddard
Chelmsford April the 1st 1713

Chelmsford March the 3d 1712

Reconed with Lieut William fletcher Towne
treasurer and there Remaing Due to the
Towne forteen pounds fivten shillings and
ow peice /

the above sd forteen Pounds fivten shillings are
how Fence y Paid

Chelmsford February the: 26th 1715

Reconed With Serg.t William Fletcher Towne
Treasurer and Balanced and a Count made there
Remaing Due to Sd Fletcher the Sume of
Five shillings and one Penny

Stephen peirce John Bates Senor and Deacon Josiah
are Chosen to a Inspect the Towne account with the
Towne treasurer and make a Report to the Towne
there next meeting
March the: 4th 1712

Reconed of Mr William fletcher Towne treasurer
twenty four Pounds Which Was the full of my
Sallary for the Last yeare I Say Reconed by me

Chelmsford march the
6: 1712/13

Samson Stoddard

Recorded May: 20th: of may 1712
By Mose Barron Clerk

Capt Bowers	0	8	6
Ensign Fletcher	0	5	0
Wm Jary		3	0
Sergt Bowers		3	0
Ebenr Parkhurst		3	0
Moses Parker		10	0
Stephen Rice		3	0
Jemtt Dennice		3	0
Jamtt Barron		3	0
Will Langle		6	3
Peter Spalding		6	0
Benjamin Burbank		4	6
William Rodget		4	0

Away had those many Returns as dead
May gone toward the Coming the next
Month

Due from Lt Richardson Jan 6-1776